



SANTA ENTERTAINS — Arietta McNeal, senior center volunteer and Santa Claus enjoy the activities of the Pickaway County Senior Citizens at a Christmas party Friday. A dinner of roast turkey was served to members at the parish house of the Trinity Lutheran Church. Six seniors, who had passed the 90 year mark were honored. At the appropriate time Santa Claus arrived, greeted each guest personally and gave each a specially selected gift. Entertainment was provided by the Senior Kitchen Band and holiday solos were sung by Charlotte Hill. Hosting the annual event were staff members of the center headed by Wanda Hamilton, and volunteers. The large Christmas tree in the crowded hall was brought and erected by Fred Howell, president of the local organization. Gifts for shut-ins unable to be present will be delivered by volunteers who also provided transportation for many of the guests.

OHSPAB Seeking Comments On Historic District Here

The Ohio Historic Site Preservation Advisory Board is seeking comments on the possible creation of a historic district in Circleville. The Board has given its preliminary approval to the addition of this district to the National Register of Historic Places and will make a final ruling after a 60-day period.

The boundaries in Circleville are as follows:

beginning at the center of the intersection of Pinckney, N. Court and Watt Streets, go east on Watt to the first alley east of Court St., south on the alley to the intersection with the only alley between and parallel to Watt and Main Streets, go east on said alley to intersection with north-south alley entering E. Main Street between 130 E. Main and the 2nd National Bank Building. Proceed south on the alley crossing E. Main following jog of alley between F.O.E. Lodge and 127 1/2 E. Main.

Then south on alley crossing Franklin and Mound Streets to intersection with only east-west alley between and parallel to Mound and Union Streets. Proceed westerly to intersection with first north-south alley east of S. Court St., go south on alley crossing Union St. to southeast corner of 412 S. Court. Then proceed westerly across S. Court following south boundary of 412 S. Court, and 403 S. Court to southwest corner of S. Court to first north-south alley west of Court St. Then proceed northward on alley following jogs between 127 W. Mound St. and 144 1/2 W. Mound, crossing Franklin St. just west of the County Sheriff's Office to point of intersection with first east-west alley south of W. Main St. following jogs to Scioto St. in westerly direction. Proceed north on center of Scioto St., crossing W. Main St. to juncture with northwest corner of Cardinal Food lot, 160 W. Main, then easterly along north boundary of lot to first east-west alley north of W. Main St. Proceed easterly on alley to intersection with first north-south alley west of N. Court, north on said alley to center of Pinckney St. hence east to point of beginning.

Should final approval be given this nomination, certain federal tax consequences will result from the listing of this property on the National Register, as outlined in detail in Section 2124 of the Tax Reform Act of 1976.

Property owners within the boundaries of this proposed district may comment on their property's significance to the Ohio Historic Preservation Officer prior to February 13, 1978. Comments should be addressed to: Dr. Thomas H. Smith, State Historic Preservation Officer, The Ohio Historical Center, 1-71 and 17th Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43211.

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Syria, Saudi Arabia Denounce Peace Plan

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Syria and Saudi Arabia denounced proposals today, saying they would perpetuate Israeli occupation of Arab land, which the Saudis called "a dagger in the heart of the Arab nation."

The Egyptian-Israeli peace conference resumed in Cairo, meanwhile, and spokesmen for the two countries reported "marked progress." But the negotiators seemed to be awaiting major decisions by heads of state, particularly at the upcoming meeting between Begin and Egyptian President Anwar Sadat.

The official radio of Saudi Arabia, an important financial backer of Egypt and the other Arab "confrontation" states bordering Israel, said there is no justification for optimism "as long as Israeli occupation of Arab territory and Jerusalem continues."

"This occupation is a dagger stuck in the heart of the Arab nation ... the dagger must be removed through Arab unity and cooperation," it said.

Syria's official radio said the Begin plan "actually is designed to retain Israeli occupation of the West Bank of Jordan and the Gaza Strip." It also blasted the proposals for not allowing for the creation of a Palestinian state.

In Beirut, Lebanon, opponents of Sadat's peace overtures to Israel apparently tried to blow up the Egyptian Embassy. Police said an embassy guard spotted a 13-pound dynamite bomb near the entrance to the building, and police experts defused it 45 minutes before it was set to explode.

Begin's proposals, which also have been denounced by the Palestine Liberation Organization, would provide civil autonomy for the Palestinian Arabs of the West Bank and Gaza but would continue Israeli military occupation there and Israeli control of Jerusalem. Other details have not been disclosed.

ROUNDTOWN

CONGRESSMAN William H. Harsha's mobile district office will be in Ashville Wednesday...The van will be located at the vacant lot next to the post office from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m....

The mobile office will be in Kingston the following week, on Dec. 28, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m., near the Kingston Post Office...

Harsha's district representative Bill Fawley will be available to residents seeking help with problems involving the federal government...

Those seeking such assistance should bring with them all pertinent information such as Social Security or Veterans Administration numbers and correspondence.

THREE of the top ten high scorers of the district semi-finals of the Veterans of Foreign Wars speaking contest are from Pickaway County schools...They are Beth Spangler of Logan Elm, Kathryn Berrigan of Circleville and Doug Martin of Westfall...The final district judging will be held 7:30 p.m. today in Columbus...

Judging on the district level is done on tapes recorded by the students and sent to Columbus...Bob Hemper was chairman of the contest on a local level and Lou Olson served as co chairwoman.



Begin presented the plan to President Carter in weekend talks in Washington, and U.S. officials said afterward the proposals put the Mideast "on the road to peace."

Dan Patir, the Israeli spokesman at the Cairo talks, refused to say whether the Begin plan would be introduced at that conference.

But he and Egyptian spokesman Morsei Saad el-Din, at their first joint news conference, said progress had been made at today's meeting.

Winding up a visit to Washington, Begin said Carter "considers the proposals I brought to him a fair basis to achieve peace." But he conceded that "the American endorsement couldn't be complete, of course. There will be many problems."

The prime minister's comment on the CBS television program Face the Nation appeared to contradict a more optimistic assessment in Jerusalem by Israeli Cabinet Secretary Arie Noar. "For the first time since the establishment of the state," Israel and the United States "have an identity of views on the content of a peace agreement," Noar said.

Begin said his proposals call for "self rule" for the one million Palestinian Arabs now living under Israeli occupation on the West Bank of the Jordan River and in the Gaza Strip. He said they would be entitled to settle in Israel and "Palestinian Jews" would have the right to live freely on the West Bank, an area Israel has dotted with Jewish settlements during the 10-year occupation.

The Palestine Liberation Organization rejected Begin's proposal, saying it "aims at the rejection of the right of the people of Palestine to form their own state, under PLO leadership."

Despite repeated questions, Begin refused to divulge other details of his peace proposals, saying he had a "moral obligation" to discuss the plan first with President Sadat. The plan reportedly calls for the return to Egypt of all the occupied Sinai Peninsula with safeguards for Israeli security and shipping.

Begin went to New York for a meeting today with U.N. Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim and goes home Tuesday, stopping en route in London to see Prime Minister James Callaghan.



LIVE NATIVITY — The junior and senior youth groups of the Northridge Church of Christ are presenting a live nativity scene Monday and Tuesday between 6:30 and 8 p.m., Wednesday from 6 to 7 p.m. and 8:30 to

9:30 p.m. and Christmas Eve between 6 and 7 p.m. The youth began their nativity scene Sunday evening. The Northridge Church of Christ is located at 578 Northridge Road.

Son Of Cyprus President Is Released By Kidnappers

NICOSIA, Cyprus (AP) — Chanting "Death to the kidnappers," 50,000 Greek Cypriots jammed Freedom Square in downtown Nicosia today to demonstrate support for President Spyros Kyprianou following the release of his son by right-wing extremists.

The president repeated he has "forgiven" the kidnappers of his 19-year-old son Achilles.

"For those who have repented, there is still a place among us. For those who have not there will be punishment," he said.

Schools, shops and offices were closed for three hours during the rally. It was the largest demonstration seen in Nicosia since the late Archbishop Makarios, Kyprianou's predecessor, returned to Cyprus after five months in exile following the 1974 coup.

Achilleas Kyprianou, who was freed at dawn Sunday, stood with his father, mother and 17-year-old brother Marcos on the speakers' platform. The brothers wore uniforms of the National Guard, the Greek Cypriot army in which Achilles is a second lieutenant.

Released after the president promised not to punish the kidnappers, young Kyprianou reported that he was kept blindfolded in a chilly underground hole that was 6 feet long and 6 feet wide but only 19 inches high.

The youth was kidnapped last Wednesday from outside a commando training camp in the Troodos mountains southwest of Nicosia. The kidnappers, who were believed to be members of the EOKA-B underground, demanded amnesty for all political offenders.

"At the beginning, I was almost sure they would execute me," young Kyprianou told a news conference, "and I asked them, as a reserve officer of commando forces, to be executed ... with open eyes and my hands untied."

He said they did not reply. Kyprianou said he was treated better than he expected, but "conditions of my captivity were rather bad."

"The first two days we faced a big food problem. We had bread and water ... once or twice a day. But I shared the food and living conditions of my kidnappers, and their behavior toward me was very good."

Forced to lie prone because of the low roof of his cell, the young man said he could not attempt to escape because he was blindfolded, bound and guarded constantly by "two men who definitely were not beginners."

"I have forgiven the kidnappers," President Kyprianou told reporters. "They are free to leave or stay in Cyprus. It is up to them to decide."

Local press reports said 10 men were believed involved in the plot and the government knew the names of five of them. The president said he had information the kidnapping was engineered by Vasos Pavlides, a 38-year-old EOKA-B terrorist wanted in connection with the 1974 coup that ousted the late President Makarios and touched off the Turkish invasion of Cyprus.

EOKA-B is an underground group of right-wing guerrillas dedicated to "enosis," the union of Cyprus with Greece. It was quiet for two years after the coup was crushed but has recently become active again.

Weather

Mostly cloudy today with temperatures in the middle 40s. Rain or snow developing tonight and continuing Tuesday. Tonight's low will be in the middle 30s with a high Tuesday in the lower 40s. Chances of precipitation, 10 percent today, 50 percent tonight and 70 percent Tuesday. Saturday's high was 59 with a low of 41 while the high Sunday was 47 and the low 39. The Scioto River is still over the banks in some of the low lying areas and is steady at 15.53 feet as of this morning.

Cost Of Helping Disabled Americans Is Massive

WASHINGTON (AP) — The cost of helping disabled Americans has become a massive but mostly invisible hemorrhage of dollars from the pockets of the nation's taxpayers, workers and businesses.

From Social Security disability insurance to federal Civil Service pensions, the burden of providing for those who cannot work is growing, with no end in sight.

The problem has largely been hidden by concern over the stability of the whole Social Security system and of private pension plans — much like an infection in a patient who hurts so

much from another disease that he doesn't notice the second debilitating illness.

Experts say there are no simple explanations for the soaring costs of disability nor any easy means to halt the rise.

The most visible cost is the disability insurance program run by the Social Security Administration. Its checks to 2.8 million Americans will total an estimated \$11.6 billion this year.

The cost is expected to be \$26 billion by 1983, when an estimated 3.5 million people will be drawing benefits.

The exploding costs of this program

have depleted the trust fund set aside for it. This pending bankruptcy is one of the principal reasons Congress raised Social Security taxes and allotted more of the revenues to disability programs. Without congressional action, the trust fund would have gone broke late next year.

The disability insurance program suffers from many problems: inequities, arbitrary rulings and molasses-slow administrative processes.

But factors outside the program, such as the nation's economy and a

greater willingness to apply for all the benefits that one can get, are apparently also at work on this and other disability programs.

More and more companies are offering some type of disability protection to their workers. A Conference Board study found 74 percent of the companies surveyed had long-term disability insurance for at least managerial employees. In a 1975 Bankers Trust study, 80 percent of the pension plans surveyed included disability retirement provisions.

Industry experts say more disability

claims are being filed and people are drawing benefits longer.

This shift has cost private insurance companies that write disability insurance policies millions of dollars in recent years. By one industry estimate, companies lost \$100 million on disability policies for individuals in 1974 and 1975.

Other than Social Security, the disabled cost the federal government billions in other ways. There are veterans' pensions based on disability, some veterans' medical costs and disability benefits for federal workers,

including Civil Service disability pensions.

By one estimate, the overall cost of taking care of the disabled in 1975 was \$114 billion. That was more than double the money spent on disability by government and private firms five years before.

This estimate, by Monroe Berkowitz and Jeffery Rubin of Rutgers University, includes medical costs of about \$65 billion.

The researchers said the costs of disability could be \$219 billion in 1980 if the rate of increase between 1970 and 1975 does not slow.

Carter Confers With Advisors On Economic Policy

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter, placing a heavy emphasis on the economy, canceled today's regular Cabinet meeting to confer with economic advisers and congressional leaders on the package of tax, employment and anti-inflation measures he will unveil in January.

Administration officials, working under Vice President Walter F. Mondale and Stuart E. Eizenstat, Carter's assistant for domestic affairs and policy, are in the midst of an effort to complete a master domestic policy agenda for 1978.

Eizenstat said Sunday that top priority would undoubtedly be given to the economy, although "we don't have the priorities all set."

Beginning a day-long series of economic policy meetings, Carter planned to sit down first with the Cabinet officials most directly involved in economic policy, along with senior White House officials, and then with House and Senate leaders and several committee chairmen.

Then he was to meet with the 15-member executive committee of the National Governors Association to discuss the fiscal 1979 budget.

Carter also planned to spend two hours listening to officials from the Energy Department, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration and the international affairs section of the State Department appeal for increases in their allotments under the budget, which goes into effect next Oct. 1.

Today's schedule represented an unusually concentrated study of economic issues for Carter, who begins a six-day Christmas vacation on Wednesday in Plains, Ga. Besides calling off the Cabinet meeting, he canceled his attendance at the weekly

meeting of his senior staff members and his weekly lunch with Vice President Walter Mondale.

However, he had dinner Sunday evening at Mondale's official residence about one mile from the White House.

During the weekend, Carter attended a family reunion and wedding in Fayetteville, N.C. After returning to Washington, he met for nearly two hours on Saturday night with Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin. On Sunday morning, the president taught the adult Bible class at the First Baptist Church and attended the morning worship service there.

The economic package, to be made public sometime around Jan. 19, the day Congress returns from its year-end recess to hear Carter's State of the Union address, will set out economic goals for 1978 "and thereafter," Eizenstat said.

The attempt to set the administration's priorities for 1978 stems to some extent from congressional criticism that the House and Senate were overloaded with Carter's proposals during his first year in office.

Carter has pledged "substantial" tax cuts in 1978, although the extent of tax revision has been in doubt. The cuts would counter the higher payroll taxes that will be imposed by the legislation designed to make the Social Security system financially secure through the end of the century.

Christmas Concert Slated At CJHS

The annual Christmas Concert by the Circleville Junior High School Band will be presented in a school assembly Tuesday, Dec. 20th, 1977 at 2:15 in the Mill St. Gymnasium. The combined eighth and ninth grade band, stage band, majorettes, drill team and student conductors will perform.

The concert will begin with "The Star Spangled Banner" conducted by drum major Anita Rossiter. The majorettes and drill team will be featured in "Do You Hear What I Hear" and "Holly Jolly Christmas" conducted by Lori Archer and Carol Smith. The band will then play "Here Comes Santa Claus" conducted by Sally Rustin; "Let It Snow" conducted by Karla Hoffman; "Still, Still, Still" conducted by Nadine Martin; "Pat-A-Pan" conducted by Kim Wolfe and a drum solo by Steve Moore; "Christmas With Our Neighbors" conducted by Sonia Clark will conclude the first half of the concert.

The stage band will then continue with "Jingle Bell Bounce", "A Christmas Medley" and "Old St. Nick Takes a Rockin' Trip."

The concert band will then continue with Lorri Dawson conducting "Little Drummer Boy" featuring a drum solo by Carol Smith; "Lo! How A Rose E'er Blooming"; "Merry Bells" conducted by Debbie Smith; "Go Tell It On the Mountain" conducted by Jackie Alvarez; "Fum Fum Fum" conducted by Tamra Rase; "Händer for Christmas" conducted by Susan Francis. The concert will conclude with "At Christmastime" an arrangement of "I Heard the Bells on Christmas Day," "Deck the Hall", "We Three Kings" and "Hark! The Herald Angels Sing," featuring a horn solo by Sheila Costello and a trumpet solo by Patty Horst.

The Circleville Junior High School band is directed by Clifford Kerns and assisted by Mrs. Gertrude Young.

All Parents and friends are cordially invited to attend the concert.

CSC Entertained By Boys Choir

The Community Services Council held its final luncheon meeting of 1977 at St. Philip's Episcopal Church.

Joan Eller, president, introduced Paul Dunkle's Boys Choir which provided the entertainment. A selection of Christmas songs were sung with audience participation.

The council donated money to the Episcopal Women's Group for serving lunch and to the Boys Choir.

Police Have Busy Weekend

Circleville City Police investigated one grand theft, six petit thefts, two criminal mischief incidents, one breaking and entering and one injury accident during the past few days.

David M. Sharrett, 202 Logan St., said he was working on a garage at the rear of the Pickaway Arms Restaurant, 115 E. Mound St., Sunday night. He returned to the garage Monday morning and found most of his tools missing. Sharrett said he thought that the tools were taken during the daylight hours of the morning because there was no light in the garage.

According to Ptl. Ron Smith's report, the doors were off the garage and the tools could be seen from the alley.

Taken were a \$175 Milwaukee jig saw, a \$10 Black and Decker one-half-inch drill, two 50-foot extension cords, a trouble light and a staple gun. Total value of the stolen items was listed at \$214.

Lynn Tracy, 226 Watt St., said he parked his vehicle in the Prairie Lanes parking lot between 8 p.m. Friday and 1:30 a.m. Saturday. When he returned

to his car he found that his Kraco CB radio antenna was stolen from the rear window. The antenna is valued at \$12.95.

Michael Brenning, 35, Pataskala, said he parked his van in the Elks parking lot at about 7:15 p.m. Friday. When he returned at 1:15 a.m. Saturday he discovered that someone took his 23-channel Challenger CB radio and a microphone holder. Total value of the stolen items was \$82.

Elijah Honeycutt, 417 Ruth Ave., said he parked his van in the Elks parking lot at 7:30 p.m. Saturday. When he returned at 11:30 p.m. he discovered that someone took his 23-channel Kraco CB radio.

An investigation showed that someone had slipped a flat object under the rear right window to gain entry. No damage was done to the vehicle, according to Ptl. Daniel Whitehead. The radio is valued at \$49.95.

William Fletcher, 572 E. Ohio St., said that sometime Sunday night someone opened his truck and took his 23-channel Pace CB radio. The person cut two wires and unbolted the CB from its bracket. Nothing else was bothered. The radio is valued at \$100.

Angie Free, Kingston, said that while she was shopping in Circleville, someone took four Christmas presents from the front seat of her car which was parked in front of 713 S. Scioto St. Free discovered the presents missing at 6:19 p.m. Saturday.

The presents included one Brut set, one bath set, one necklace with white and green shells and one vinyl desk set. The gifts were valued at \$15 and were wrapped in red paper with the figure of Donald Duck on them.

Paula Pack, 313 S. Washington St., said that sometime during the past week someone took a yellow 12-inch bicycle with white seat and training wheels from her front porch. The bike is valued at \$30.

Everett E. Peters, 68, 537 Douglas Drive, said that between 10:30 and 11 p.m. Friday someone removed his mailbox from the post across the street. At 11 p.m. Mrs. Jack Mills, 325 Clark Drive, called Peters and told him she had just found it lying in her driveway. \$10 damage was done to the box.

Elizabeth M. Tolbert, 523 Mowrer Road, said that between Dec. 10 and Saturday someone shot a BB through the front window of her home. No damage estimate was made.

Ptl. Ron Smith reported that Vaughn Hill found that the hasp was pryed off of his garage door at his 128 E. Union St. residence. The incident occurred Saturday or Sunday. A \$15 sled was taken. Damage to the door was listed at \$25.

At 4:38 a.m. Friday Ptl. K.C. Grant investigated an injury accident at the intersection of East Main Street and the Norfolk and Western railroad tracks.

According to his report, Rick E. Schwalbach, 20, 355 Sunnyview Drive, was westbound on East Main Street.

As Schwalbach started across the tracks, he lost control of his vehicle. The car continued in the proper lane, then went left of center for 87 feet, left the road and continued on 114 feet before striking a tree belonging to Russell E. Waidelich, 24484 Ringgold Southern Road.

A passenger, William W. Gates, 18, 363 Eva Drive, was taken to Berger Hospital's emergency room to be treated for minor scratches and bruises.

Court News

Marriage Licenses Issued

Joseph Edgar Jordan, 20, Chillicothe, farmer and Linda K. Carter, 21, Route 104, deputy sheriff Charles M. Leist, 23, Circleville, farmer and Linda D. Corbin, 23, 235 E. Franklin St., baby sitter

Jamie David Hickey, 19, 428 Stella Ave., cabinet maker and Carol S. Stephens, 19, 270 Walnut Creek Pike, Hecks employee

Real Estate Transfers

Alice and Arthur E. Founds, to Donald E. Evans, 1.033 acres, Scioto Twp.

Donald E. Evans to John E. and Florence A. Haines, 1.033 acres, Scioto Twp.

Ann Louise Fitzpatrick, deceased, by executor, to S. D. and Margene M. Hamner, lot 1393 and part lot 1394, Circleville

Harry R. and Carol J. Tussing Jr. to Wayne C. and Barbara Whisman, 0.296 acres, Harrison Twp.

Clark E. and Marilyn R. Zwayer to Marvin and Donna Lee Arledge, lot 1050, Circleville

Mary Lenora and Mostyn Garrett to W. David and Marcia M. Garrett, 94.17 acres, Darby Twp.

Mary L. Garrett to Mostyn Garrett, 5.09 acres, undivided 1/2 interest, Darby Twp.

Leist and Keller Leasing to, Deer-creek Auto Parts Depot, Inc., part lot 52 and land, Williamsport

Earl Z. and Monnie J. Topping to David H. Hedges, 5.05 acres, Walnut Twp.

B. F. Conrad, deceased, to Florry Conrad, and others, amended certificate for transfer, lot 20, part lots 34 through 43, Cromley's 4th Addition, Ashville

OMNITCo., Inc. to Charles F. and Esther A. Hudson, lot 343, Logan Elm Village Subdivision, Circleville Twp.

Mary A. Howard to William H. and Rosemary Niles, lot 1237, Circleville

Hospital News

ADMISSIONS

Amos Valentine, Stoutsville

Mary Porter, 719 S. Court St.

Charles Neff, Ashville

Nellie Phillips, 422 Imperial Court Del Brooks III, 519 Garden Parkway Thomas D. Smith, 840 Maplewood Ave.

Carrie Boyer, 115 E. Mill St.

DISMISSALS

Ralph Brown, 239 Nicholas Drive Howard Lyon, Ashville, Mrs. Philip Davis, Kingston

Mrs. Gary Pontious, Kingston

Mrs. Monty Cummings, Ashville, Beatrice Burnum, Columbus

Mrs. Ronnie Cooper and daughter, Stoutsville

Mrs. Gary Leasure, 19905 Wood-sview Drive

Michael Churlik, transferred to Childrens Hospital

Leon Keaton, 164 Hayward Ave. Patrick Thomerson, 1191 Lone Pine Drive

Elizabeth Greeno, Stoutsville, Tanya Seaton, 317 S. Scioto St.

Infant Mike Leasure, 19905 Wood-view Drive

Infant male Hamilton, Williamsport

Mrs. Dannie Hettinger and son, Ashville

Mrs. Ronald Reed and daughter, Lockbourne

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Deaths And Funerals

MR. LEONARD CROSBY

Mr. Leonard Crosby, 69, formerly of Circleville, died 3:47 a.m. Sunday at St. Elizabeth Hospital, Dayton.

Born Sept. 25, 1908 in Circleville, he was the son of George and Jennie Mills Crosby.

He was a member of the Circleville Fraternal Order of Eagles.

Survivors include three brothers Roy W. Crosby, 220 W. High St., Albert W. Crosby, 1280 Northridge Road, George Crosby of Orient; three sisters Mrs. Mildred Weaver, 472 E. Ohio St., Mrs. Orlean Bibbee of Westerville, Mrs. Pauline Cappriotti of Philadelphia, Pa.

Funeral service will be 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Defenbaugh-Wise Funeral Home with the Rev. David Cyrus officiating. Burial will be in Forest Cemetery, Circleville.

Friends may call at the funeral home 6-9 p.m. today.

MR. RAYMOND J. MERZ

Mr. Raymond J. Merz, 84, of Route 1, Amanda, died at 7:10 a.m., Sunday at his residence.

Born July 16, 1893 in Franklin County, he was the son of John and Anna Daum Merz.

He was a member of the Amanda United Methodist Church.

Survivors include his widow, Sylvia Rothwell Merz; one sister, Mrs. Catherine Barcroft of Upper Arlington; nieces and nephews.

Funeral service will be held 1:30 p.m., Wednesday at Amanda United Methodist Church, with the Rev. Gary Ritts and the Rev. Wesley Clark officiating. Burial will be in the Amanda Township Cemetery.

Friends may call at the Taylor Funeral Home, Amanda, beginning noon Tuesday and at the church one hour prior to service.

Family requests memorial donations be made to the Amanda United Methodist Church.

MRS. REGINA TRUITT

Mrs. Regina Truitt, 73, Route 3, Mount Sterling, died Sunday morning at her residence.

Born Aug. 29, 1904 in Pickaway County, she was the daughter of William and Elizabeth Marshall Davis.

Survivors include her husband Ernest; one son Bill of South Fullen; two grandchildren Connie Jenks of Fort Wayne, Ind. and Belinda Cooper of London; two great-grandchildren; one sister Mrs. Agnes Markley of Mount Sterling.

Funeral service will be 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Porter Funeral Home, Mount Sterling with the Rev. Donald L. Cooper officiating. Burial will be in Pleasant Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home beginning 7 p.m. Monday, Tuesday afternoon and evening and until time of service Wednesday.

MR. PEARL J. WEBB

Mr. Pearl J. Webb, 83 of Washington C. H., died Sunday morning at his residence.

Born April 11, 1894, he was the son of Alexander and Sarah Holcomb Webb.

He was a retired farmer.

Survivors include his widow Myrtle; six sons Lloyd, Charles (Mike), Lawrence, Clarence and Melvin all of Waterloo, Ralph Junior of Washington C. H.; four daughters Mrs. Floyd (Helen) Newland of Washington C. H., Mrs. Russell (Dorothy) Patterson,

Mrs. Tete (Anna) Houseman both of Waterloo; Mrs. James (Vonna) Baney of Westerville; 26 grandchildren; 24 great-grandchildren; one brother Vernie Webb of Mount Sterling.

Funeral service will be 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Porter Funeral Home, Mount Sterling with the Rev. Forrest Porter officiating. Burial will be in Pleasant Cemetery.

Friends may call at the funeral home beginning 2 p.m. Monday and until time of service Tuesday.

Y Notes

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES

Grade, Junior High, Senior High, and College Students will find programs at the YMCA during the Christmas Vacation. A new Senior High Christmas Basketball Tournament is slated for December 27, 28, from 1 to 3 p.m. In addition to open gym time for college students, the YMCA will offer a "Vacation Tournament" (Basketball) on December 27, 28, and 29 from 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

For the third year, a Vacation Table Tennis Tournament is scheduled for Dec. 30 from 9 a.m. to completion for Youth and Adults.

The Kiwanis Key Club will hold a volleyball marathon in the Y Gym from 9 p.m. (evening) Dec. 20 to 9 p.m. (evening) on Dec. 21.

Christmas Vacation schedules can be obtained by stopping in at the YMCA.

The YMCA will close at 2 p.m. on Saturday, December 24 and remain closed through December 26. The Y will open Tuesday, December 27 at 9 a.m. until 2 p.m. December 31 and remain closed until Tuesday, Jan. 3, 1978.

Y INDIAN PRINCESSES

Y Indian Princesses and their dads will be caroling in Downtown Circleville Tuesday night from 6:45 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. Princesses will meet at the YMCA at 6:30 p.m. and will return to the YMCA following the caroling for snacks.

Y Indian Princesses is a Family Life program of the Pickaway County Family YMCA. All girls ages 6-9 and their dads are invited to join the group in caroling.

YMCA MEMBERSHIP FOR CHRISTMAS

A YMCA Youth Membership makes a wonderful Christmas gift. Membership cards are available in attractive gift folders.

Remember, the YMCA is open to all boys and girls. If you are unable to afford a Youth Membership, maybe we can provide your son or daughter one through our Partners with Youth Program. You are encouraged to stop in the YMCA Office and ask for Harold Hewitt.

Mainly About People

Dorothy Amann, 211 Walnut St., has been discharged from Lancaster-Fairfield County Hospital, Lancaster.

Richard Justus, Stoutsville, has been discharged from Riverside Hospital, Columbus.

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A Page Of Opinion

Public Papers Issue

The question of what to do with a public official's public papers when he leaves office continues to confront the courts. It is doubtful that in the 200 years of the Republic there has been as much contention on the issue as has arisen in the last few years.

Files originating with former and present members of Congress are being sought in connection with the Korean bribery scandal. Indications are that at least some of the pertinent information already

may have been removed.

U.S. District Judge John Lewis Smith Jr. ruled in another case that Henry Kissinger holds no claim to the transcripts of his telephone conversations made while he served the Nixon administration. The Kissinger had deeded those records over to the Library of Congress, but with the stipulation that they not be made available to the public for at least 25 years.

In his opinion, Judge Smith said: "The records in dispute

here were produced not only in accordance with department regulations but also on government time and with the aid of department employees, equipment, materials and other public resources.

"Having been prepared and transcribed in the discharge of his official duties, the notes are the property of the United States."

That is the prevailing sentiment in many of the public papers cases coming before the courts.



Title Tells All

By JIM BISHOP

The day after New Year's will be the start of my 50th year in journalism. The excitement of attempting to marry truth to story approaches a divine madness. My joy was to put one little word behind another little word in order to recreate images and events - and be paid for it.

No day, dear reader, was ever exactly like any other. The innate goodness of man was followed by his fury and cruelty. He could be depended upon to kill his own in the name of God, country and liberation. His conceit in loving himself is insuperable. His Maker, he insisted, was made in his image.

I'm not quitting. I'm just thinking aloud. My future for many years has

been in the hands of a couple of hundred feature editors who must weigh each story and ask themselves if it is worth white space. In the time ahead, the same judges will prevail.

In the trade, my material is called "low key." It tells a story. If it is not published today, it will probably read as well next week or next month. In a world of chronic crisis, I seek a peaceful corner. There must be room for a chuckle, a blink of eye and blow-nose.

At this point, I have written 11,000 stories; 110 magazine articles; 19 books. A few were pretty good. Some were cosmetic clinkers. And yet, never have I done less than my best. The craftsman's conscience is his callous

critic.

My ambition is constant. On January 2nd, 1929, I sat on the copy boy bench of The New York News determined that some day I would be the best-educated writer and editor in America. Not the finest writer; not the indispensable editor. The best-educated.

What I had to offer for \$12 a week was alertness, acne and a C-minus in English. Tell me true, is that skinny kid so far removed from this white-haired man? The octaves of thought, philosophy and assessment strike similar chords. If this is true, tell me why the eyes require spectacles; the teeth caps; the thumbs stiffen with arthritis.

Surely that boy hides nearby. He waits to shout "Surprise!" and return to me. My faith in God, my church, and being in love forever have not altered. These are the constants between him and me.

He was indeed lucky. Thirteen years as a rewrite man; a couple as editor of Collier's; a couple as executive editor of Liberty and Catholic Digest; a few as founding editor of Gold Medal Books; 30 as an author. Efficiency is important; luck is everything.

The word, I think, is zeitgeist; the right man in the right place at the right time. I am aware of dozens of reporters who could have achieved anything within my ken. Each was slightly off the edge of the action while I was in dead center. Always there was a publisher who smiled and said, "Follow me."

Speaking of luck, what can any man say of a woman such as Kelly who knew nothing of journalism and who studied research on her own time for 16 years? It was not a part of the marriage contract that she should become a hunter of literary lint for her husband's books.

Do not believe the writers who thump their chests. The interviewers who grant interviews. Some reek of booze and sweat. They speak of allegories and subliminal plots who have forgotten how to write a simple declarative sentence. They kiss their fingertips one by one.

The contrary is true. The writer tries to say something in print. No one ever hits the bull's-eye. His best is approximation. His failures induce shame. He paints himself as a lonely character who works in a vacuum. He lies. No one ever wrote for money who did not want to inflict his views on a multitude. Within his gold-plated modesty lies a heart of lead.

Each day I dream over coffee of a fresh column or the work on a new book. Age did not overcome me until Little Brown offered a fat contract for my memoirs. Memoirs? An autobiography is no more than an examination of conscience in public.

I would love to play the hero, backing up a marble staircase with sword in hand holding off the villains below. It cannot be. I have examined that pimply boy and gone forward and back trying hard to be accurate. Sadly, I find that the boy was somewhat of a heel. He was thinking of himself all the way.

Hopefully, someday it will be complete. Of one thing I can assure you, dear reader, it will not be a pedantic text book on How to Write. Even if I knew, I wouldn't reveal it. The title tells all.

It will be called "The Bishop's Confession." Wish me luck. I need it once more...



Business World

By JOHN CUNNEIFF
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — It's been a tough fight in recent years to bring down the unemployment rate, which remains grooved just under or over 7 percent. Blame the babies — those born in the 1950s and early 1960s.

Those babies have been entering the labor force of the 1970s at the rate of about 2 million a year, which means that nearly that number of jobs must be created just to keep the rate from rising.

Mothers of the babies have also added their numbers to the force, opting to resume careers or begin new ones now that the most time-consuming of their homemaking chores have been completed.

These two factors have been overlooked by critics of economic policy, who often place the entire blame on what they insist is ineptness in Washington.

But if they are to be considered reasonable, whatever criticisms are directed at Washington must include some recognition of the special demographic factors that have affected the 1970s.

The truth is that the economy in the 12 months through November produced a tremendous number of jobs — 3.9 million, if the statistics aren't changed, a number almost double the average increase of recent years.

Had there not been a problem with assimilating the now mature youngsters born in the 1950s, the jobless rate might have dropped nearer to what we used to think was an achievable 4 percent rate.

And yet, while the jobless rate remained around 7 percent, there were more people employed in the United States than ever before. As a percentage of population too; an all-time

high of 57.8 percent held jobs.

You can examine it from the other direction too, and still you have a record: as a percentage of the population — not the labor force — there were fewer people without work than in any other non-war year.

The record shows that not only teenagers and women entered or re-entered the labor force; so also did semiretired persons and what the Labor Department refers to as "voluntarily idle."

The jobs were there; so were the prospects, too many of them, you might say.

Is relief coming? Yes, says the Conference Board, a privately operated, non-profit research and educational organization supported largely by business. The demographic bulge is over; the number of youngsters entering the labor force is declining.

Between 1969 and 1976, says the board, 14 million entered the labor force, but between 1976 and 1980 the average per year of new entrants might be about 1.7 million, slowing further to 1.4 million in the early 1980s.

Automatically, this spells relief, assuming of course that the economy manages to expand at about 5 percent a year. But a weaker economy would also keep the rate high.

There is at least one other factor: While we are at least part way through the process of assimilating the babies, we now must consider their parents and grandparents. They're acting up.

Labor market analysts are closely observing efforts by the increasingly more powerful older workers to remain on the job to age 70, instead of retiring at 65 or before.

If they are successful, that too would tend to keep the rate high.

They'll Do It Every Time



Short People's Day Is Proclaimed

BOISE, Idaho (AP) — Five-foot, six-inch Phil Batt was Idaho's acting governor Friday — and he took the opportunity to proclaim it "Short People's Day."

Batt, a Republican, is Senate president pro-tem. He became acting governor when Gov. John Evans and Lt. Gov. William Murphy, both Democrats, were out of the state on business.

He sat in the governor's chair and remarked, "We'll have to do something about that chair, it's too big." Evans is 6-foot-3 and weighs about 215 pounds.

Today In History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Monday, Dec. 19, the 353rd day of 1977. There are 12 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1946, war broke out in Indochina as troops under Ho Chi Minh launched widespread attacks against the French.

On this date: In 1675, British colonists defeated Narragansett Indians in Rhode Island in the last battle of King Philip's War. In 1732, Benjamin Franklin began to publish his "Poor Richard's Almanac" in Philadelphia.

In 1842, the United States recognized the independence of Hawaii.

In 1939, in World War II, the crew of the German liner, Columbus, scuttled the ship in mid-Atlantic to avoid capture by the British.

In 1950, General Dwight Eisenhower was named commander of military forces within the North Atlantic Treaty Organization.

In 1968, Socialist Norman Thomas, who ran for President six times, died at the age of 84.

Ten years ago: President Lyndon Johnson and other world leaders flew to Australia for funeral services for Prime Minister Harold Holt, who had drowned in the ocean near Melbourne.

Five years ago: The Apollo 17 exploration of the moon ended successfully as the spacecraft and three American astronauts made a safe landing in the Pacific.

One year ago: The Soviet leader, Leonid Brezhnev, was receiving lavish honors as a hero on his 70th birthday.

Today's birthdays: Brezhnev is 71 years old. British actor Sir Ralph Richardson is 75.

Thought for today: Eating words has never given me indigestion. Sir Winston Churchill, 1874-1965.

Editions

Of The Past

40 YEARS AGO
1937

Economy Shoe Store advertised ladies snap gaiters for 89 cents per pair.

Over 1800 people attended the opening of the new Grand Theater on North Court Street. "Thin Ice," starring Tyrone Power and Sonja Henie was the feature picture.

Gene Arledge and John Noggle were co-captains of the 1938 gridiron team of Circleville.

The weekly employment report of the W.P.A. showed that 115 people were on their payroll in the county.

Clifford M. Holland, the first chief engineer of the Holland Tunnel, died on Oct. 27, 1924, just two days before sandhogs working from the New Jersey side met those working from the Manhattan side midway under the Hudson River to complete the first of the vehicular tunnel's two shafts.

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Speaking Of Your Health

by Lester L. Coleman, M.D.

My 5-year-old daughter doesn't catch cold or have sore throats. The first thing that happens to her is that she gets big lumps and swollen glands in her neck. Is this a common thing? Do children outgrow this?

Mrs. P.S.A., Wis.

Dea Mrs. A.:

A complex network of lymph glands exists all over the body. This is one of the most important devices for protecting the body against the spread of infection. Lymph glands are normal. Swollen lymph glands indicate that the glands' protective activity is working.

In the mouth and throat, the tonsils and adenoids are considered to be part of the interconnecting lymph system that protects this area against invasion by bacteria.

When the tonsils and adenoids are healthy, they act as a barrier to keep infection from spreading.

When the tonsils and adenoids are chronically diseased, their protective influence may be diminished. Then, bacteria pass through them and seep into the glands of the neck, causing swelling, tenderness and fever.

It may very well be that, in your child's case, the tonsils and adenoids have long since passed their protective usefulness. They may, in fact, themselves harbor the germs and bacteria that flare up and produce the repeated attacks of swollen glands.

The fact that the swelling comes and

goes is probably an indication that no serious underlying condition is present. Nevertheless, routine blood studies and throat cultures should be done to pinpoint the exact reason for these recurrences.

If the tonsils and adenoids are found to be chronic offenders, their removal should be considered.

Time may be a healer, but I would not suggest putting off what is best for your child now.

I have a large, fatty growth in between my shoulder blades. My doctor says it's not a cancer, but should be removed. I don't understand why this is necessary if it isn't cancer.

Mr. N.V. Jr., Iowa.

Dear Mr. V.:

The growth you describe is known as a "lipoma." It is one of the most common noncancerous tumors that occurs in the body. Only in rare instances do large lipomas, or fatty tumors, change their characteristics and become cancerous.

If the tumor is growing larger and if the tumor is cosmetically unattractive, or if the tumor is constantly being irritated by your clothing, it is worthwhile to have it removed. The operation is a simple one. It is a safe procedure. Usually, they can be removed under local anesthesia; occasionally, under general anesthesia.

Rural Gas Customers May Pay Higher Rate

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Rural customers of Columbia Gas of Ohio would be paying more than their city neighbors if the utility asks for, and is granted, rate increases.

Columbia spokesman William Chaddock said Friday the company is considering rate increases for its rural customers because it is losing money outside the cities.

Chaddock emphasized that no decision has been made by company officials to ask the Public Utilities Commission for an increase.

Chaddock said the current rates are four years old, and "we are not recovering the necessary costs."

Columbia, which is served by Columbia Gas Transmission Corp. of Charleston, W.Va., serves 974,000 customers in 56 Ohio counties.

The utility's average rural rate of \$38.16 per 15,000 cubic feet of gas, based on October rates, is \$3.87 lower than the average cost to city customers, according to William Spratley, Ohio's Consumer Counsel.

By comparison, East Ohio Gas Co., about 60,000 customers short of Columbia, charges \$32.06 throughout its system of 18 counties.

Chaddock acknowledged, in an interview with the Akron Beacon Journal, that if the PUCO approves a rural rate increase, customers outside incorporated areas would pay more than their city neighbors. He added Columbia spends more to serve rural areas.

An increase in Columbia's rates "won't really solve the problem," said Spratley. "They'll still be dividing and conquering. If they go to the PUCO county by county it makes it difficult to represent the consumer because there would be so many cases."

Spratley contends Columbia should follow the lead of the state's other gas companies and have a universal residential rate.

Spratley also said that Columbia's rural rates show that the company charges too much in incorporated communities.

However, Chaddock replied that Spratley drew "improper conclusions" from the comparison.

"The rural rates are lower because of the date and circumstances under which they were set," Chaddock said. "Back in 1974 we requested that the PUCO put every rural customer on the same rate as the community nearest them. The PUCO went along with this

and reset the rates but it did not go along with our proposal that whenever the city rates went up the rural rates would go up as well, so while the city rate has been going up the rural rate has not.

"We're losing money out in the counties," he said.

Biblical Verse Remains On Barn

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — A rural Wilson County couple will be allowed to keep their Biblical verse on a barn-roof that can be seen from nearby Interstate 24.

The verse, painted on the roof by Mr. and Mrs. John Hamblen of Mt. Juliet, was said to be illegal outdoor advertising by the state Transportation Department, which ordered it removed.

But Transportation Commissioner Eddie Shaw said Friday the sign will be allowed to remain and, as far as he is concerned, the case is closed.

"Praise the Lord," Mrs. Hamblen said when told of the decision. "I knew the sign had to stay."

The sign reads: "Repent & be baptized everyone of you in the name of Jesus Christ. Acts 2:38."

Afro-American Museum Planned

WILBERFORCE, Ohio (AP) — Public hearings are expected early next year on a congressional proposal to establish a National Museum of Afro-American History and Culture in the Wilberforce area.

Congress has asked for that a comprehensive feasibility study be prepared by October, 1978, and according to the National Park Service, most of the preliminary work is complete.

Merrill D. Beal, midwest regional director of the park service with headquarters in Omaha, Neb., said a progress report on preliminary work by the park service will be made prior to the hearing in early 1978. No specific date has been set for the hearing.

Lake Baikal in the Soviet Union lies near the center of Asia in a zone that records 2,000 earthquakes a year, although most of them are weak in magnitude.

Striking Ohio Miners Gear Up To Stop Non-Union Production

WILKESVILLE, Ohio (AP) — As coal contract talks were set to resume in Washington today, striking Ohio miners geared up to stop non-union production in Kentucky and give their negotiators more leverage.

Virginia state police reported an "unusually quiet" weekend in all coal counties and that appeared to be the case in other states as the nationwide strike by 160,000 miners entered its 14th day.

However, striking members of the United Mine Workers should become more active by Tuesday, when a caravan of Ohio miners is scheduled to thread its way through eastern Kentucky, attempting to stop production and delivery of nonunion coal.

About 100 miners met Sunday in Wilkesville to plan the trip, which will begin about 50 miles away in Chesapeake near the Kentucky border. They were addressed by Don Nunley, a former UMW District 6 board member, a district which runs union affairs in Ohio and northern West Virginia. "Everybody in District 30 (eastern Kentucky) is praising you. They're calling you Robin Hoods," Nunley said. He cautioned miners to be careful. "You're going into some bad country. I don't want anybody to have any firearms on them. I don't want anyone to have any whiskey on them, because that's a dry state."

During a foray into Kentucky last week, Ohio miners forced non-union coal drivers to dump their loads along roadsides. Part of union strategy is to put pressure on the coal industry by cutting off alternate, non-union, supplies of coal.

The latest round of contract talks was recessed Friday. Negotiators for the UMW and the Bituminous Coal Operators Association reportedly had trouble wording a contract provision on which agreement was said to have been reached.

Bringing the funds to financial stability has been a goal of UMW bargainers. Benefit funds trustees had to cut off health benefits when the strike began because of financial distress in the funds.

Absenteeism, wages and a limited right to strike are other main bargaining points.

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Occasional rain or snow likely tonight and Tuesday. Lows tonight in the upper 20s to low 30s. Highs Tuesday near 40.

NORTHWEST WEST LAKE SHORE
Occasional rain or snow likely tonight. Snow likely Tuesday. Lows tonight in the upper 20s to low 30s. Highs Tuesday in the mid 30s. The chances of precipitation 60 percent tonight and 70 percent Tuesday.

WEST CENTRAL CENTRAL SOUTHEAST
Occasional rain or snow likely tonight and Tuesday. Lows tonight 30 to 35. Highs Tuesday near 40. Chances of precipitation 50 percent tonight and 70 percent Tuesday.

SOUTHWEST
Occasional rain likely tonight and Tuesday. Cooler with lows tonight in the mid 30s and highs Tuesday in the mid to upper 40s. Chances of rain 40 percent tonight and 70 percent Tuesday.

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Ohio's brief taste of spring-like weather is over and typical winter conditions are returning.

A storm system in Oklahoma is moving toward Ohio and is expected to spread rain or snow through the state tonight, the National Weather Service said.

The rain will gradually change to light snow as colder air sweeps into the state.

Skies were generally cloudy across northern and central sections this morning and partly cloudy to clear in the south.

Locally dense fog cut visibility to near zero in some areas along the Ohio River.

Light rain and drizzle fell in the northeastern counties overnight, but rainfall amounts were generally less than .10 inches.

Temperatures early today ranged from 30 degrees in the Cincinnati area to 42 degrees in Cleveland.



CHRISTMAS FLOWER — Clarice Alderman, 408 Abernathy Ave., displays the Amaryllis grown by her husband Garner. The Amaryllis is also known as the Christmas flower.

Cleveland Clinic, NASA Cooperate On Cancer Cure

CLEVELAND (AP) — Experimental cancer treatments using space age technology have begun here under a cooperative effort between the Cleveland Clinic Foundation and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

NASA's Lewis Research Center has

Oklahoma Ministers Support Anita Bryant

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Two Oklahoma ministers are gathering signatures and donations for a message saying that Anita Bryant's stand against homosexual rights has the backing of citizens in her home state.

"What she has stood for has not been fairly represented," the Rev. Robert Wise said Sunday. "We feel her right to speak has been very much violated."

Wise, pastor of Our Lord's Community Church, and Southern Baptist evangelist Larry Jones have joined to collect indications of support for the Oklahoma native.

Wise said the drive began when NBC announced it would not retain Miss Bryant to host the network's coverage of the Orange Bowl parade Jan. 2, before the football game between Oklahoma and Arkansas. NBC spokesmen said the network wished to avoid possible demonstrations.

The donations are to cover the cost of a "mail-a-gram," publicity and to "bring Anita to Oklahoma to let the nation know where we stand," said Wise.

Although bobcats are valiant fighters, they go to great lengths to avoid people and will even flee dogs which they could tear into shreds, says National Geographic.

modified its 50 millionvolt cyclotron for clinical trials of the "fast neutron" treatment of tumors, according to a joint statement released Friday.

Patients are being selected for treatment by physicians throughout the Great Lakes area in a coordinated effort with the clinic's radiation therapy department.

The program is being financed for three years with a \$519,000 grant from the National Cancer Institute, said Dr. William S. Kiser, chairman of the clinic's board of governors. The \$200,000 modification cost for the cyclotron facilities are being borne by the clinic, he said.

Cleveland is the fourth area of the country where such trials are underway. Other treatment centers are at the M.D. Anderson Hospital and Tumor Clinic at Houston, Texas; the U.S. Naval Research Laboratory at Washington, D.C.; and the Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory at Batavia, Ill.

Dr. Antonio R. Antunez, who heads the radiation therapy department for the 1,000-bed clinic, one of the world's largest privately funded medical centers, said patients for the program must be carefully selected.

"To be a suitable candidate for neutron therapy, a patient must have a tumor that has not spread and which cannot be effectively treated by conventional procedures, such as surgery, cobalt, X-ray or chemotherapy," he said.

Dr. Bernard Lubarsky, acting director of the Lewis Research Center, said, "It is always gratifying to be able to transfer space technology to the health field, and we at Lewis are particularly pleased in this case to be able to contribute to new studies of a public health problem of worldwide concern. Whatever progress we make in this team effort approach will be well worth the effort."

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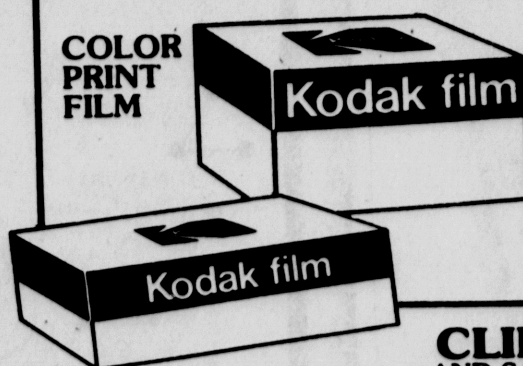
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News Of Interest To Women

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The Circleville Herald, Monday December 19, 1977

Dear Abby:

By Abigail VanBuren

Hawaiian Vacation A No-No For Teen

DEAR ABBY: Our daughter (I'll call her Beth) has been going steady with Rick since school resumed last fall. Beth is 15 and Rick is 17.

Rick's people are way out of our class financially. Today I received a telephone call from Rick's mother asking if Beth could go to Hawaii with their family over Christmas. Beth had never mentioned that she was invited, so I was shocked. I said I'd talk to my husband and we would let her know.

Beth is begging us to let her go. Her father says he doesn't like the idea because Rick has his parents wrapped around his little finger and seems to have no supervision whatsoever.

I don't want to insult Rick's parents, but I agree with my husband.

We trust Beth but think she is a bit too young to be in Hawaii with doubtful supervision.

How should this be handled?

DEAR ABBY: I received a call from a family member today who suggested that we should all stop giving Christmas gifts—except to the children.

That's fine, but my husband and I have no children and this relative has four. In other words, she's telling me that we should buy her kids Christmas gifts, but we shouldn't expect any.

I think she should have said, "Please don't buy our kids anything this year because you don't have any kids." Or else, "If you buy our kids Christmas gifts, we will buy you and your husband something in return."

What do you think?

DEAR ABBY: Ever since I was a small child, I've loved dogs. I'm 23, and I still love dogs.

My parents never cared for dogs, so I was never allowed to have one. I always dreamed of the day when I was grown and on my own so I could have a dog.

I've been happily married for a year, and my husband and I are renting an apartment upstairs from my parents. Would you believe it, they still refuse to let me have a dog? They won't even discuss it. No dogs on their property, period!

I feel bitter and angry, but there's nothing I can do except move, which would be foolish because we never could find a place as nice as this for what we're paying.

It's been a year now and I've built up a terrible resentment against my parents. Am I wrong to feel this way? Or are they wrong to continue to treat me like a child?

DEAR BITTER: It's your parents' property, and if they don't want dogs it's their privilege. Don't take it personally. If you can't accept their decision with grace and maturity, move.

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SCOUTSVILLE SENIORS

Have Yule Dinner

A holiday dinner for 38 senior citizens of Stoutsville area was sponsored by the Willing Workers Class of the Heidelberg Church of Stoutsville on Dec. 14 at the church.

Door prizes were won by Elsie Adams, Lelah Forgey, Margaret Creager, Mary Betz, Nellie Campbell, Faye Fausnaugh, Mary Crites and Mrs. Earl Bender.

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Birthdays Party Held

Ethel Valentine Siegle was honored on Dec. 11 by the American Legion Auxiliary at Johnny's Restaurant with 15 members present.

Mrs. Siegle has been a sponsor of the students that attend the Boys State and Girls State sessions.

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Annual Past Chancellors Banquet Held

The annual Past Chancellors banquet and award night was held Wednesday at Palmetto Lodge 513, Knights of Pythias in the Ashville Castle Hall.

Eighty-four members and guests were served a turkey dinner by the Ashville Pythian Sisters.

Following the dinner, the Esquire rank was conferred on Sid Liming, Robert Forquer, Frank "Bill" Welsh, and Scott Dresbach.

Secretary Edwin Irwin presented certificates and membership cards to members with 25 or more years of service. George Ralph Cloud was recognized as being a new 50-year member but was unable to attend the meeting.

Election of officers was held. 1978 officers will be Paul Smith, chancellor commander; Michael Cummins, vice chancellor; Clarence Bandy, prelate; John Swingle, master of work; Edwin Irwin, secretary; Robert Barr, financial secretary; Kenneth Foreman, treasurer; Charles Morrison Jr., master at arms; Maynard Marion, inner guard; Donald Mitcham, outer guard; Max Marion, trustee.

Members of Philos Lodge brought the Traveling Knight trophy to Palmetto Lodge which will in turn take the Knight to another lodge in the district.

Distinguished guests present included Lindell Peterson, grand chancellor; Mack Wise, grand vice chancellor; Frank Hudson, grand treasurer; Leon Dulaney, superintendent of the Pythian Home in Springfield and former grand chancellor; Kenneth Hess, former superintendent of the Springfield Home and former grand chancellor; and Frank Woodward, supreme representative and former grand chancellor.

Visitors were present from Circleville, Springfield, Columbus, Canal Winchester and Pataskala.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Separate sealed bids will be received at the Office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, Westfall Local School District, 19463 Pherson Pike Road, Williamsport, Ohio, until 12:00 o'clock noon E.S.T. on December 20, 1977, and immediately thereafter will be publicly opened and read aloud for all labor, material and services necessary for the completion and construction of the Work entitled VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE SHOP ADDITION TO WESTFALL HIGH SCHOOL in accordance with Construction Documents prepared and issued by Kellam and Smith, Architects-Planners, 4789 Rings Road, Dublin, Ohio.

Construction proposals will be received for GENERAL TRADES: PLUMBING; HEATING; VENTILATION AND AIR CONDITIONING; and ELECTRICAL work, or any combination thereof. Documents are on file and available for examination during normal work hours at the Architect's Office, the Columbus Builders Exchange, the Columbus Offices of the F. W. Dodge Corporation and the Offices of the Board of Education.

Documents may be obtained from the Architect's Office upon deposit of a certified check made payable to the Architect in the amount of \$50.00 for each set of Construction Documents. Documents will be forwarded SHIPPING CHARGES COLLECT to any Bidder requesting same. Individual prints of drawings may be obtained at bidder's cost by ordering directly from the Architect.

Deposit will be fully refunded only to prime contractors who submit proposals (1/2 refund to all others). Deposit refund will be made upon return of documents in good condition, and with shipping charges prepaid, within 10 days after bids are opened. No refund will be made at a later date.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or to reject any or all bids. Each bidder must deposit with his bid, security in the amount, form and subject to the conditions provided in the Information for Bidders. Attention of bidders is particularly called to the requirements as to conditions of employment to be observed and minimum wage rates to be paid under the contract. The work will be subject to the prevailing wage rates established by the U.S. Department of Labor, the Equal Employment Opportunity requirements, and the 10 percent Minority Enterprise requirements.

No bidder may withdraw his bid within 60 days after the actual date of the opening thereof.

Kenneth Reid,
Clerk
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December 12, 19, 1977

Democrats Boast Of Year's Accomplishments

WASHINGTON (AP) — Absence may not make the White House grow fonder of Congress, but at least the record looks better from a distance.

It is the habit of congressional leaders, and of presidents if they happen to be of the same party, to boast of the year's work on Capitol Hill no matter what happened there.

On the legislation that President Carter said would be the year's major product, what happened was stalemate. There is no master energy program. The negotiators are still at work. And now Congress can contemplate the prospect of raising the price of gasoline, perhaps by seven cents a gallon, to keynote a congressional election year.

According to House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill, the session just ended was the most productive since Lyndon B. Johnson succeeded the assassinated John F. Kennedy in 1963.

"The wheels were spinning pretty fast then," O'Neill said. "Other than

that, you would have to go back to 1933."

Senate Majority Leader Robert C. Byrd said Congress had an excellent record, one of "extraordinary achievement." As for Carter, Byrd said, "He has done very well for a new president, a man who had no previous experience with Congress or Washington."

Such getaway speeches are in the grand tradition, even after a less-than-grand year. It just hasn't been quite what was advertised when a Democratic president, the first in eight years, took office to work in supposed harmony with a Democratic Congress.

Carter said in those days that he expected they'd get along just fine — but that he wouldn't hesitate to go to the country if he saw Congress kowtowing to special interests.

He made a few remarks like that, especially on the stalled energy bill that was supposed to be the year's monument. But no sooner were such

words uttered than White House spokesmen were hastening to add that the president meant no offense.

And there certainly was no campaign to mobilize the country and put the heat on Congress. O'Neill told Carter that would be a mistake. It was a risk the president didn't take.

Instead, he played the game the way it is always played and, at adjournment time, said it had been a very good year.

By implication, he took part of the blame for work that went undone.

"We will have a much more carefully considered agenda for 1978, broadly encompassing the commitments that I have made to the American people and the issue that I have identified since I have been in office ...," he said. "I would say it is more an effective presentation because we now know better when the Congress can move rapidly and when they can't ..."

"I am not discouraged about it. I am very pleased at what has been ac-

complished so far, although we didn't conclude 100 percent of what we proposed."

Carter cited the creation of a new Department of Energy, the approval of a \$21 billion tax, jobs and public works program to stimulate the economy, and a new farm bill as among the year's gains.

He also got the authority he sought to reorganize government agencies, subject to congressional veto. Congress approved major housing legislation and has started on his welfare program.

But negotiators still are struggling to write an energy program, new department or no. There will be another effort to stimulate the economy next year, with unemployment still running close to 7 percent. There's a new farm bill, but there's also a farmer's strike for higher prices.

Overall, Carter had the worst time on the most visible issues, energy chief among them.

Children's Christmas Programs Planned At Pickaway Library

Circleville and Pickaway County children are invited to help their public library celebrate Christmas. On Thursday, December 22, at 2 p.m., there will be a special Christmas Story Hour, and on December 23 at 2 p.m., the library will host a Christmas Film Fest.

Handicapped children are especially encouraged to attend the Christmas Story Hour, to be conducted by Linda Stow, Children's Librarian of the Jackson City Public Library. Included in this program will be Hans Christian Andersen's "The Fir Tree" as well as several stories told in sign language for the benefit of children with hearing or learning disabilities.

Mrs. Stow attended Ohio State University and the American Academy of Dramatic Arts in New York. While a student in Columbus,

she was a member of "The Strollers" theatre group and spent a year in France where she studied mime. In 1974 and 1975 she was the summer storyteller for Ohio Valley Area Libraries, of which the Pickaway County District Public Library is a member. Currently, in addition to her duties as Children's Librarian, she is teaching an introductory course in signing for the deaf at the Jackson City Library.

"A Visit from St. Nicholas" and "The Littlest Angel" are to be shown at the Christmas Film Fest. Also to be shown is "Zlateh the Goat," a tender Yiddish folktale by Isaac Bashevis Singer with a wintry setting and universal appeal.

PICCA has volunteered to provide transportation for children who cannot travel unassisted. Parents should notify the library in advance if their child needs this service or if their child needs special assistance negotiating the entrance steps. For further information inquire at the public library at Pickaway and Main Streets or call the Children's Librarian at 477-1644.

Cincinnati Zoo Gets Monkeys

CINCINNATI (AP) — The Cincinnati Zoo has received 12 snow monkeys from the Tokyo Zoological Park.

The animals, protected in Japan as a threatened species, normally live in harsh, conditions at the tops of mountains and volcanoes above the tree line.

Zoo Director Edward Maruska contacted Tokyo Zoo Director Dr. Shigeharu Asakura at the meeting of the International Union of Zoological Directors in September 1976.

An exchange was arranged which would permit the zoo here to obtain snow monkeys which arrived at the zoo Friday.

The monkeys will be quarantined before being displayed outdoors.

The most northerly point of Canada is Cape Columbia on Ellesmere Island in the Northwest Territories at 83 degrees north latitude.

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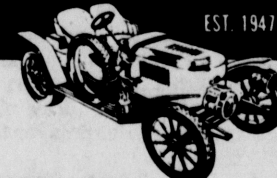
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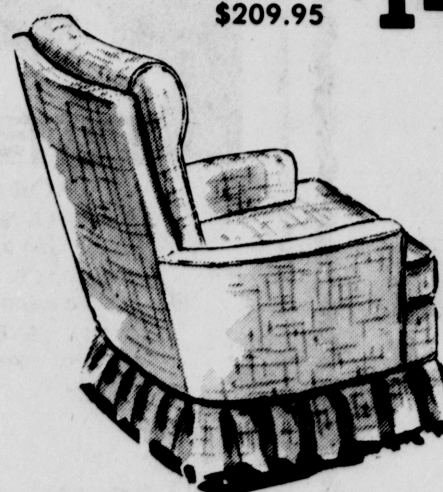
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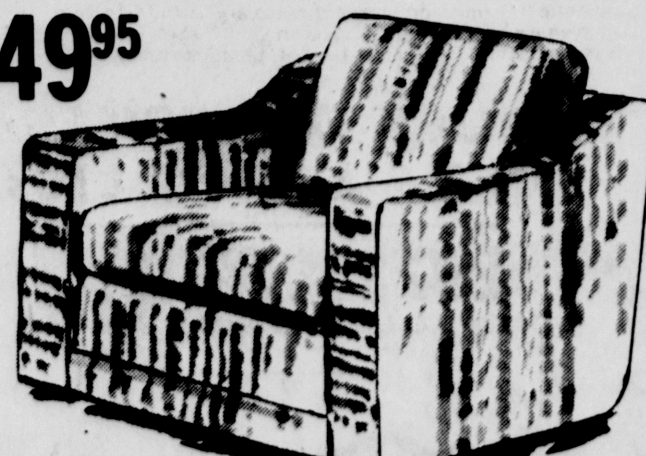
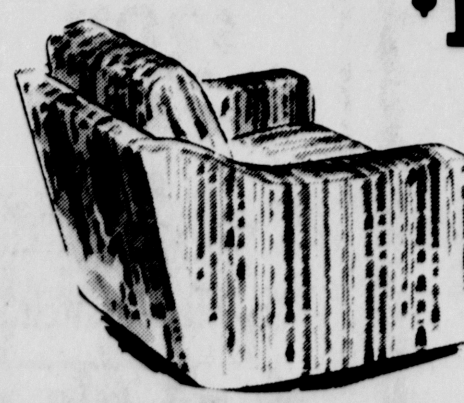
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Republicans Challenge Democratic Gerrymandering

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Gov. James A. Rhodes and other Republicans hope a three-judge panel in the United States District Court of Northern Ohio will let them draw new Ohio House and Senate districts for the 1978 elections.

Robert F. Howarth Jr., Rhodes' attorney in a protracted case challenging validity of the existing 99 House and 33 Senate districts, has asked the court to reconsider its 1971-1972 decision that the districts are valid. The panel is headed by Judge Frank J. Battisti of Cleveland, chief judge for the district.

Howarth, who also represents Rhodes as president of the Democrat-dominated state Controlling Board, won a partial victory Oct. 12 when the 6th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Cincinnati allowed him to go forward with his challenge.

Battisti, a Democrat, handcuffed Republicans five years ago with an injunction that prohibited further challenges to the legislative apportionment plan. It had been adopted in 1971 by the then-Democratic, five-member apportionment board under former Gov. John J. Gilligan.

Although Battisti's injunction banned further challenges "in any court," the circuit court said in its October decision that the governor was not prohibited from seeking relief in

the same court that issued the injunction.

Under Gilligan, the board drew up Senate and House districts that enabled Democrats to gain control of both houses of the legislature for the first time since 1958.

They did it, as the GOP had in the past, by drawing district borders which cut up neighborhoods and geographic areas that traditionally supported the opposite party. It's an art form known as gerrymandering, and as old as representative government itself.

In their initial challenge of the Democratic districts, Republicans claimed the districts were in violation of the Ohio Constitution.

John M. McElroy, attorney for the party and former executive assistant to Rhodes, claimed the boundaries violated requirements for compact districts, those which are contiguous, and districts that preserve boundaries of legal political subdivisions such as counties, townships, municipalities and city wards.

McElroy, who still serves the governor as a federal aid liaison official, maintained that the districts are especially vulnerable to legal attack because they utilize voter precincts, which are non-statutory and can be changed easily.

Howarth carried all these arguments forward with his motion to

the Battisti court, but added to them a contention that federal guidelines used by the court in its earlier decision — upholding the present apportionment plan — are not nearly so restrictive as they were at that time.

Howarth said the three-judge court based its earlier finding on the U.S. Supreme Court's landmark decision of 1964. That ruling stated legislative districts must be virtually equal in population.

That decision became known as the "one man, one vote" rule and Rhodes' lawyer said the Battisti court probably ruled correctly when it said Ohio Democrats' plan was not in violation on that point.

However, since then, the nation's highest court has ruled in other cases that variations in district populations can vary considerably, if "legitimate state interests" are served.

In one case, the Supreme Court permitted variations of up to 16.4 percent, and Howarth said he thinks a difference of 20 percent could stand constitutional muster, based on his reading of similar court decisions.

Through all of this, Democrats, represented in the current proceedings by Atty. Gen. William J. Brown, claim the Rhodes' effort is based on politics.

In a brief filed with the district court, Brown said present legislative districts could not be disturbed unless it was shown by Rhodes that they placed an "unusual hardship" on the governor. The only hardship, the attorney general maintained, has been that the earlier rulings prohibited Rhodes from redistricting the state in accordance with his own "political desires."

Howarth acknowledged late last week that the case is loaded with politics, but said all he wants from the three judges is for them to consider how the present plan stacks up against the statutes.

"All I want is for them to look at the law," he said.

The three-judge court also includes Judges Anthony L. Celebrezze Sr. of Cleveland, a Democrat who served as President John F. Kennedy's secretary of health, education and welfare, and Nicholas J. Walinski of Toledo.

Employers Frown On Nap Breaks

AKRON, Ohio (AP) — Sleeping on the job may be good for your health, but some cost-conscious employers are frowning at the thought that afternoon naps might someday become part of the regular workday.

On the one hand, Dr. Frederick Evans, a University of Pennsylvania psychologist, says that naps are "clearly psychologically restorative and should be encouraged. People should be allowed to benefit from them instead of feeling guilty."

On the other hand, Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co. public relations officer Bill Newkirk says that "if you want to be serious about this, it would add significantly to costs."

Newkirk estimates that an industry with 100,000 employees would lose 50,000 manhours a day if naps were allowed.

"Everyone gets breaks, of course," Newkirk said. "Those have been negotiated. There are no provisions for naps, not officially anyway."

Ed Thiell, Akron public works manager, said the city has never found that napping employees are more productive.

"They're sleeping because they're unproductive," he said. "Anyway, I haven't taken a nap since I left home and my mother made me. I hate to sleep during the day."

But research continues to support the beneficial aspects of a midday nap, and at least one labor leader thinks it may someday become a negotiated item at contract time.

"I think an afternoon nap is a good idea," said Matt Contessa, president of United Rubber Workers Local 5 at B.F. Goodrich. "Workers strapped to the same machine all day have a higher rate of accidents. A nap break would be a help for that, I think."

Contessa smiles at the thought of husky tire builders coming to work every day with nap rugs under their arms like kindergartners. But he said negotiating for a nap break sometime in the future wasn't all that far-fetched, assuming definite research proves the benefits.

Jack Sombati, staff representative of the American Federation of State, County and Municipal Employees, agreed with Contessa.

"Perhaps naps would help improve the productivity that management is always talking about," Sombati said.

Efficiency experts proved long ago that workers performance tends to flag in midafternoon, causing a slowdown in productivity.

There have been tentative correlations between the slowdown and industrial accidents. And research at several major institutions indicates that people who take regular afternoon naps are more efficient workers and better adjusted individuals.

Dr. C. William Keck, head of Akron's Health Department, said the idea of increased productivity from a mid-afternoon nap is plausible.

"It's not surprising," Keck said. The thing that would present a problem is

providing facilities for people to nap in.

"It's a genuinely interesting idea, but I think there might be a problem selling the idea to employees. Americans are compulsively work-oriented. I think universal acceptance would take a cultural shift in this company."

OSP Will Not Warn Drunken Drivers

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — The head of the Highway Patrol has issued a firm warning to those planning to drive while drunk during the Christmas holidays.

"Troopers will not warn drunken drivers," said Col. Adam G. Reiss, superintendent of the patrol.

"Persons under the influence of alcohol will be arrested and confined to jail as the local courts subscribe," Reiss said Friday.

"It is not our desire to dampen holiday spirits. We only request that persons who will be driving use sound judgment and moderation when celebrating at the traditional holiday events, such as office parties," Reiss added.

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Steel Mill May Not Reopen

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio (AP) — Union leaders and others, fearful that steel workers and their families will be disappointed, are watering down hopes that the closed Campbell Works of Youngstown Sheet & Tube Co. can be brought back to life.

Last week, plans were announced by the new Mahoning Steel Co. to reopen the closed mill and restore at least 2,000 jobs, and hopefully, show a profit within six years.

"I don't want to encourage people to sit around and wait for it to happen," said Jim Smith, assistant to United Steelworkers Union President Lloyd McBride.

"I don't think anyone should have their hopes built up too high," he added. "The worst mistake we could make is to generate the impression the mill will reopen and have people sitting tight for a few months until their (unemployment) benefits run out."

Public Meetings

TUESDAY

The Pickaway County Board of Health will hold its regular meeting 7 p.m. Tuesday at the Health Department, 705 S. Court St.

Despite cautious notes from union leaders and others, talk of reopening the mill could be beneficial, others say.

Proposals to purchase the facilities surfaced after the layoff of 5,000 Sheet & Tube workers last fall dimmed hopes of keeping the Youngstown area's economy sound.

However, the so-called "rippling effect" that was expected to hurt other industries has not materialized, according to Anthony Fortunato, Youngstown district manager of the Ohio Bureau of Employment Services.

"The impact is not going to be felt for six months or a year because of the benefits (workers are receiving)," he said.

Unemployment failed to rise as high as predicted, Fortunato said.

"Everybody pushed the panic button at first and were saying unemployment would go up 4 or 5 percent," he said. Instead, joblessness has risen less than one percent countywide, to about 8 percent.

Next spring is when the layoffs will most acutely affect nearby Campbell, a town of 12,500 where a fourth of the families were hurt by the retrenchment.

"The impact is coming," said Campbell Mayor Michael Katula who leaves office next month after losing his bid for re-election in November.

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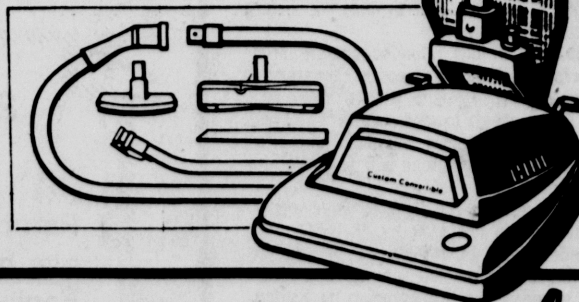
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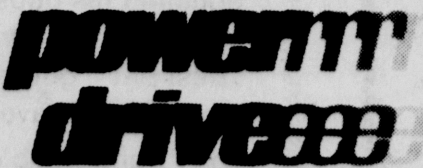
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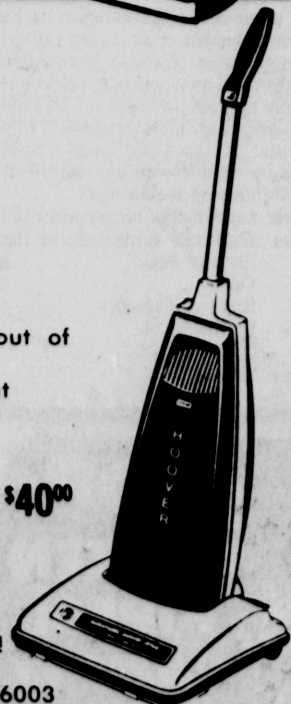
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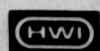
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PCSO Deputies Check Accidents

The Pickaway County Sheriff's Office investigated three accidents over the weekend that resulted in injury or citations to motorists.

The first mishap occurred at 6:30 p.m. Saturday on State Route 762, one mile west of Thraikill Road.

According to the report, Byrd E. Evans, 50, Orient, was westbound on SR 762 and went left of center and off the left side of the roadway. His vehicle struck a fence and a telephone pole, and came to rest.

Deputy J.W. Evans cited Evans for driving left of the center line.

The second accident took place at 10:30 p.m. on State Route 56, one half mile west of Call Road in Monroe Twp.

Charles E. Fullen, 30, Route 3, was eastbound on SR 56, and went left of center, and his car left the left side of the roadway, coming to rest in a ditch.

Deputy J.W. Evans cited Fullen for operating a motor vehicle while under the influence.

The third accident of the weekend actually took place at 12:05 this morning on State Route 56, 181 feet west of Blain Road on the sharp curve east of Mt. Sterling known as Miller's curve.

According to Deputy Lee R. Gray, Stephen P. Black, 24, Mt. Sterling, was westbound on SR 56 when he lost control of his auto. It left the roadway and travelled 175 feet through a ditch, rolling over at least once.

Black was taken to the Madison County Hospital by the Mt. Sterling Emergency Squad, where he was treated for a laceration to the right side of his head and admitted for observation. The car was completely demolished.

Stats Listed For Muni Court

In Circleville Municipal Court during November, 401 cases were finished in the criminal department with 416 cases filed during the month.

In civil action, 35 cases were filed with 14 cases concluded. There were 4 marriages in Municipal Court.

The small claims division listed 40 cases filed and 50 cases finished during November.

Total fines, bond forfeitures and costs collected during the month was \$14,226.73. Total disbursements were \$14,226.73 which included amounts due to the city of Circleville, Pickaway County, treasurer of state, sheriff, Department of Natural Resources, Williamsport, Department of Watercraft and State Board of Pharmacy.

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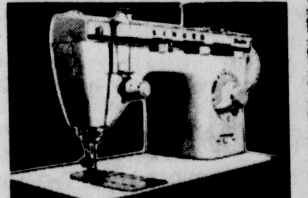
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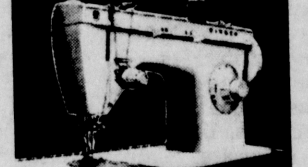
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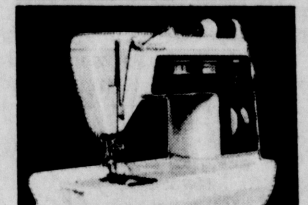
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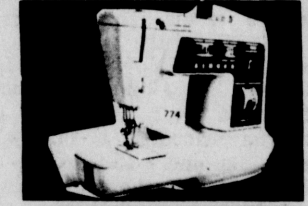
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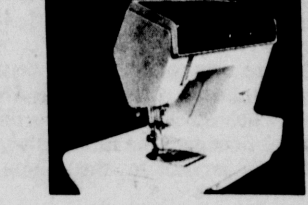
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China Not To Be Big Factor In United States Grain Sales

WASHINGTON (AP) — Although China has bought some soybeans, cotton and soybean oil from the United States this year, prospects for it buying wheat or other grain continue to be slight, the Agriculture Department said today.

A month ago, rumors circulated that China had purchased or was on the verge of buying U.S. wheat. Department officials discounted those reports at the time, and no evidence has surfaced since to indicate such sales.

The department said in a report included in a weekly issue of "Foreign Agriculture," published by the Foreign Agricultural Service, that sales of soybeans, cotton and soybean oil to China so far this calendar year total about \$100 million.

Although this is up dramatically from only \$44,000 worth of U.S. farm commodities sold to China last year, it is far below the record \$664 million worth of products, including wheat, sold in 1974.

The report was written by Carolyn L. Whitton and Frederic M. Surls, foreign trade analysts in the department's Economic Research Service.

In addition to the cotton and soybean oil, China recently bought more than 75,000 metric tons of U.S. soybeans. But that was part of an old order for 390,000 tons China had placed with an American company, with a provision the beans could come from sources other than the United States.

Thus, the remainder of the 390,000 tons was provided from other sources.

Ban To Be Sought

On Non-Returnables

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Ohio's legislature apparently will be asked in 1979 to ban nonreturnable cans and bottles.

A group desiring the action claimed Sunday to have surpassed the minimum number of signatures required to initiate the enabling legislation in the General Assembly.

But Wendy Schweiger, executive director of the Ohio Alliance For Returnables, said the more than 104,000 signatures collected so far may not be enough after they are screened to eliminate those of ineligible signers. The drive will continue, she said.

The signatures of 92,166 eligible voters are required to present the legislation to the General Assembly as an initiated bill.

The envisioned law would require a refundable deposit of 10 cents on all beer and soft drink containers sold in the state. It also would eliminate the "hazardous" pull tab openers, the group said.

If the legislature fails to approve the bill in four months after it is presented, probably in early 1979, the alliance said it then will circulate petitions to place it on the November 1979 ballot, the executive director said.

Its current goal is to obtain about 130,000 signatures, giving the bill a cushion of about 38,000 prior to screening by local election boards.

Humphrey's Spirits

Said To Be Good

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Hubert Humphrey will spend his first Christmas in more than 20 years away from his Waverly, Minn., home, and his spirits are as high as ever, his aides and friends say.

Humphrey's top aide, David Gartner, said the 66-year-old senator, who has inoperable cancer, and his wife, Muriel, had considered going to Waverly or to Florida for Christmas but, for now at least, have decided to spend a quiet holiday in their Washington apartment.

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Traffic Death Toll Hits 12

By The Associated Press

Three accidents claiming a total of seven victims boosted Ohio's weekend traffic death toll to at least 12 by Sunday night.

A mother and two children perished Saturday in a one-car accident in Warren, and two Michigan women were killed in a two-car crash in Fulton County the same day.

Two young brothers from Alliance died in a two-car accident early Sunday in Columbiana County.

The Ohio Highway Patrol tabulates the weekend count from 6 p.m. Friday until midnight Sunday.

The dead:

FRIDAY

CINCINNATI — Christina Clark, 8, Hamilton, in a car-pedestrian accident on Ohio 4 in Hamilton County. She died early Sunday.

MENTOR — James E. White, 21, city street, in a one-car accident.

SATURDAY

LORDSTOWN — Susan Krisher, 33, of Warren, and her children Robert, 13, and Chad, 6, in a one-car accident on Ohio 45 in Trumbull County.

YOUNGSTOWN — Jamie Robbins, 23, of Struthers, when the car in which he was riding missed a curve in suburban Campbell, struck three trees and overturned.

WAUSEON — Jeannette Groth, of Blissfield, Mich., and Blanche C. Payne, of Adrian, Mich., in a two-car accident on U.S. 20 in Fulton County.

BOWLING GREEN — Tonya Hamilton, 8, of Milton Center, in an accident on Ohio 582 in Wood County.

SUNDAY

LISBON — George E. Gaddis, 18, and Lennie R. Gaddis, 17, both of Alliance, in a two-car collision on Ohio 173 in Columbiana County.

CLEVELAND — Peter J. Washko, 20, Cuyahoga County road, one-car accident.

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COLUMBUS — The Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR) will receive \$1,035,000 from the federal government to operate its 1978 Youth Conservation Corps program, according to David D. Franklyn, Chief of ODNR's Office of Cilian Conservation.

"Our allocation enables us to remain as the largest single operator of a state Youth Conservation Corps program in the country," Franklyn said. "It means we will be able to provide four weeks employment for over 1,300 Ohio youngsters ages 15-18 next summer."

The popular YCC program is administered nationally by the Forest Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture and the Department of Interior.

Over 3,800 youths have worked with YCC operations in Ohio since 1971,

when the first pilot camp was opened at Marietta by the U.S. Forest Service.

In 1974, Ohio became the first state to be approved by the federal government to operate its own program. State agencies in the program receive 80 percent funding from the federal government.

"Our 1977 program, involving over 1,300 youths and 100 staff members, resulted in the completion of conservation work projects valued at an estimated \$1,100,500," Franklyn said. "The hundreds of projects completed were done at 93 state facilities and 34 local government facilities."

The 1978 YCC program, as in past years, will include two four-week camp sessions in June, July, and August. Both residential and nonresidential operations will be

conducted. Those at residential camps live at the camp the entire four-week period. Workers at nonresidential operations live at home and commute to work sites.

Those attending residential camps will receive about \$260 plus room and board. Nonresident campers receive about \$318 for the four-week period.

Typical projects performed by YCC work crews include trail construction, land reclamation, timber stand improvement, erosion control and wildlife habitat improvement.

The campers also participate in conservation education programs under the guidance of experts in the environmental and resource management fields.

"We are now preparing recruitment materials and application forms for the 1978 program for distribution to all Ohio secondary schools and Ohio Bureau of Employment Services offices in early January," Franklyn said.

"We urge those interested to file their applications as soon as possible," Franklyn said. "He noted those who have attended before are not eligible to return except when selected as a youth leader by the camp staff."

YCC participants are selected by the federal government. Selection is done at random without regard to social, economic, racial or ethnic background via a computer setup in Falls Church, Va. Deadline for applying for the 1978 program is Wednesday, March 15. All applications should be completed according to the instructions on the application forms provided and mailed to: YCC Selection Office, P.O. Box 800, Falls Church, Va. 22046.

Applicants will be notified in early April whether or not they have been selected. For those selected, instructions will be provided concerning camp assignments, reporting dates and other details.

A film available from ODNR gives a close-up look at YCC workers learning, growing and contributing to the protection of the environment.

The 23-minute film, "Hard Work and Good Times . . . The YCC Experience," is recommended for upper elementary and older age groups. It is available without charge from the Film Library, Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Fountain Square, Columbus 43224.

School counselors and others can arrange for a presentation on the YCC program by contacting the Office of Civilian Conservation, Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Fountain Square, Columbus 43224, telephone (614) 466-6187.

Arrests

SHERIFF

David A. Bond Jr., 21, 213 Sherwood Dr., speeding 47 miles per hour in a 35 mph zone.

Robert L. Alphin, 25, 7075 Haysville-Adelphi Road, speeding 47 miles per hour in a 35 mph zone.

Jan A. Thomas, 19, Stoutsville, speeding 46 miles per hour in a 35 mph zone.

Joseph Ehman, 20, Orient, speeding 57 miles per hour in a 35 mph zone.

Frank Fout, Ashville, public intoxication.

Johnny Adkins, 19, Ashville, stop sign violation.

Charles Fullen, 30, Route 3, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence.

Rick Forst, 28, Columbus, operating a motor vehicle while under the influence, no operator's license.

Byrd E. Evans, 50, Orient, operating a motor vehicle left of the center line.

OSP

Delos W. Morris, 61, Columbus, driving while intoxicated.

Ralph W. Miller, 55, Portsmouth, driving while intoxicated.

POLICE

Paul Snyder, 61, 210 S. Court St., intoxication.

Robert Wayne Keels, 28, Lancaster, petit theft (hold Lancaster Police Department.)

Boa Constrictor

Hiding In House

VERO BEACH, Fla. (AP) — John Little: There's a surprise waiting for you at home. Your son's new 6½-foot boa constrictor is hiding somewhere in the house.

Little, the Vero Beach city manager, was out of town when the snake slithered out of its utility room home, apparently into the attic, Friday night or Saturday.

"It's no harm to anyone except our son," Mrs. Little said Sunday.

Mrs. Little said the snake has probably sought out a place to hibernate for the winter, and wouldn't begin looking for food for another three months or so.

"We'll find it sooner or later, Little said. "Maybe we'll hear him in one of the walls and know where he is."

Nicaragua is the largest of Central America's republics, with an area of 50,000 square miles, and is roughly the size of Illinois.

Coalminer's Thoughts Are More On Christmas

LANGSVILLE, Ohio (AP) — The Rev. Roger Turner confesses that his thoughts are more on Christmas these days than on the lingering coal strike, even though he's also a miner.

Turner's tiny Dyesville Community Church is located in the heart of Ohio's coal mining district, but its members have not yet become involved in the strike that has idled thousands of miners nationwide.

"I'm not really all that familiar with what people's thoughts are on (the strike), but I don't think the concern is really there yet. Something like this does not affect them directly."

The nondenominational church draws about 14 worshippers each Sunday evening, most of them retired or employed at Ohio University in Athens. Turner, a mechanic at Southern Ohio Coal Co.'s Meigs No. 1 Mine on weekdays, is the only miner.

"If this thing drags on, they probably will need some assistance and I'm sure (his parishioners) would assist them as their needs are made known."

The impact of the two-week-old strike "has not even hit the miners yet because they still have some money left from their last paycheck," Turner said. "A lot of time this is what happens. It takes time before people realize they don't have a paycheck coming in."

Turner, who was ordained a minister of the Baptist Church in Illinois and then as a minister of the Freewill Baptist Church in 1971 when he came to Ohio, also knows that many miners prepared for the strike.

"We made some provisions for this

so it is no big hardship on me," he said. "We're not spending as much on Christmas as originally planned, but things like that just happen."

Turner's preparations included saving a little money each week for the three months before the strike began, and stockpiling some canned goods from a general store he owned but gave up last spring.

And now that he has the time, he has contracted to remodel part of the store into larger quarters for the U.S. Post Office. Turner will collect \$3,000 when the work is done, hopefully in about three weeks.

And, he hopes that the strike may end at about the same time.

"It's looking kind of encouraging," he said of the negotiations. "From the news the last couple days it looks like we may be making some headway. We may be going back to work the first of the year or not long after. It looks like it might not last as long as we thought."

In the meantime, Turner says it's too close to Christmas to worry much about the strike.

"I want to push it to the back of my mind and forget it," Turner said. "I want to get into the spirit of Christmas. After the first of the year I will worry about the strike."

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Heavy Rains Sock East Coast

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Urban flooding, scattered power outages and slippery roads have socked the East, with lighter weather patterns drifting over the Western part of the nation today.

Flash flood watches were up in Washington, D.C., parts of Maryland and Delaware, with travelers advisories issued for the mountains of Pennsylvania and areas of New York.

About 2,500 Northern and Central New Jersey residents were without power early today as freezing rain, sleet and snow brought down power lines and trees.

"We've got isolated cases all over the system because of trees falling down and things getting wet," said a spokesman for the Central Power & Light Co., one of the companies involved.

Continuous heavy rain pelted much of Maryland over the weekend, causing the evacuation of nearly 60 persons in Baltimore and flooding of lowlying roads. More than three inches fell on Baltimore in a 24-hour period, ending at 11:30 p.m. Sunday, the weather service said.

Baltimore City police officers began routing families in a three block area of South Poca Street Sunday morning because of flooding. The families were expected to return to their homes today.

Rains and high winds hit much of Delaware Sunday. There were no reports of injuries or major damage, but "substantial" beach erosion was reported by the Delaware Department of Natural Resources.

A broad low pressure system from Canada across the Great Lakes kept the skies cloudy Sunday over Ohio, Michigan, Iowa, Indiana most of Minnesota and wide areas of the Dakotas. And another low was expected to maintain the pattern, with some rain or snow, on Tuesday.

Rain, freezing rain or snow slowed highways in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Massachusetts. A warming trend was predicted for today, with more rain forecast for Tuesday. Maine, Vermont and New Hampshire had light snow Sunday with temperatures in the 30s and more light snow expected today.

The skies over the South were clear Sunday, with clear or partly cloudy weather forecast today.

Most of Texas and Arkansas were under fair skies Sunday, with diminishing blowing dust reported in southwestern Texas.

Clearing and cooler weather was

expected over New Mexico today after a weekend of snow showers in the northern and, western mountains.

Snow was diminishing in the Colorado mountains early today after falling lightly since Sunday. Montana is experiencing a warming trend after a weekend of steady snow in scattered parts of the state.

Mild weather was forecast for the West and Gulf Coasts today.

Early morning temperatures around the nation ranged from two degrees at Bozeman, Mont., to 69 at McAllen, Texas.

Junkyard Operator Is Back In Jail

CINCINNATI (AP) — John Coyne is back in jail — this time for illegally parking a World War II half-track complete with a 50-caliber machine gun.

The 33-year-old junkyard operator was charged with criminal trespassing and was being held in the Hamilton County Jail without bond after refusing to give police any information, including his name.

Police said Coyne was arrested Sunday after parking his vehicle and a 40-foot trailer in front of the Anderson Middle School near a busy shopping center.

Two years ago, he served six months in jail rather than comply with a court order to remove his 38-ton Sherman tank from a site near his salvage lot.

Sir W. S. Gilbert, English poet and playwright of Gilbert and Sullivan operetta fame, was born on Nov. 18, 1836.

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SANTA and the PIGWIDGEN

By LUCRECE BEALE

Synopsis: The pygmies carry Claus and Tweedledees off to meet their king, the Pigwidgen. The elf boasts that Claus is more powerful than the king.

CHAPTER FOURTEEN THE EATING CONTEST

THE PIGWIDGEN was a mite, a darling, a peewee, a runt of a pygmy.

He marched up to Claus. "What are you doing here?" he demanded in a high squeaky voice.

Claus told himself he could not possibly be afraid of a creature so small. "You have put a curse on all the children of the land," he said sharply. "I have come to ask you to lift it."

"You promised not to open the black purse that was left in your keeping," said the Pigwidgen. "I myself left the purse there to test you. The promise was broken and now the children sleep."

"It was no fault of the children," cried Claus. "You must wake them."

"Yes," blurted Patrick Tweedledees. "And lift the curse you laid on the elves so that they must live underground forevermore."

"And who is going to make me do these things?" inquired the Pigwidgen icily.

There was a moment's silence. Then Tweedledees cleared his throat and said calmly, "Claus is."

The Pigwidgen sputtered. He fell to the floor. He rolled over and over squealing and holding his sides. He very nearly turned inside out with laughter. The other pygmies howled too. It seemed the roof of the castle would blow off in so much laughter.

At last the Pigwidgen got to his feet. He wiped the tears from his eyes and blew his nose with a wisp of a handkerchief. Then he said, "You think yourself more powerful than I?"

"More clever," murmured Claus. "It comes to the same



"Do you think yourself more powerful than I?"

thing."

The Pigwidgen threw back his head and blew a cloud of smoke from his mouth. He vanished in the cloud. An instant later the cloud was gone and the Pigwidgen appeared again. "Can you do that?" he demanded.

"I — I do not wish to disappear," stammered Claus. "I am here to make you lift the curse."

"Well," said the Pigwidgen indulgently. "Let us have a contest. If you win perhaps I shall lift the curse. The elf said you like roast pig. Very well. Let us see who can eat the most."

He took Claus into the kitchen and shut the door. There was a table before a roaring fire. On the table were 10 succulent roast pigs.

The Pigwidgen sat down and sank his teeth into a roast. In five minutes all that was left was bones and a tail. He ate a second roast and a third and a fourth and a fifth.

The pigs the Pigwidgen ate had been secretly stripped of most of their meat and covered back over

with skin. Nevertheless the meat that remained had so stuffed the tiny Pigwidgen that he now collapsed in a stupor behind an enormous pile of bones and five curly tails.

Claus sat before the five remaining pigs. He nibbled on the choice bits of each roast and licked his fingers and stared reamly at the fire. At last he knew what he must do.

When the Pigwidgen woke he raised his bloated head. "Well, what have you eaten?" he demanded.

"All," said Claus.

"But the bones? The tails? Where are they?"

"All eaten," replied Claus calmly.

And so they were for, while the Pigwidgen slept, Claus had thrown the unfinished pigs into the fire which had eaten them up skin, bones, tails and all.

Tomorrow: The Drinking Contest

Congressman Selling Books

WARREN, Ohio (AP) — Bookseller Earl S. Casterline says books Rep. Charles J. Carney received free from the Library of Congress are turning up at public sales as collectors items.

He had one such book at his stall at a Warren flea market last week and was asking four times the normal price. But he says recent developments in Washington will hike the value of so-called "Carney books" even more, maybe to 10 or 20 times ordinary book prices.

The Cleveland Plain Dealer reported last June that Carney, a Youngstown Democrat, had obtained 81,663 Library of Congress surplus books — more than any other congressman — and given them to relatives, friends and library.

Before each book was given away, its fly leaf was stamped "From Charles J. Carney. Member of Congress, 19th District of Ohio." Most of the books also were stamped inside and on the edges with the names of federal libraries at military and civilian posts at home and overseas.

Before the newspaper reports, neither the Carney imprints nor the names on the edges meant anything.

"Lots of libraries sell off excess books so ordinarily no one pays attention to those markings," Casterline said.

But since the reports, the Library of Congress has changed its rules to prohibit Congressmen from obtaining the books to give away.

Only a few of the books have appeared on the market since June, Casterline said.

"There won't be any more of them, so like any other collector's item, those that exist become far more valuable when the supply is cut off," he said.

Casterline said he and some 10 or 12 year-around flea market book dealers have been watching for books with Carney's name stamped in them, and have been surprised that so few have appeared for sale.

"I've only had this one and have only seen a couple of other," he said. "I can only suppose that with all the publicity, people are holding on to them, expecting them to get more valuable."

Deadline Near

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — Deadline is Jan. 4 to sign up for a state-sponsored workshop on economic development of small Ohio communities.

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Overindulgent Parent Is Problem; Not Myth

COLUMBUS, Ohio (AP) — If a child reaches the age of 10 and still believes in Santa Claus, it's time the parents tell him the truth, even if the child has never expressed any doubts, an Ohio State University psychiatrist says.

"Usually by the time a child enters school, he will begin figuring out that Santa is not a flesh-and-blood person anyway," says Dr. L. Eugene Arnold. "Parents might ease the transition by telling them the true story of St. Nicholas or explaining that Santa is the spirit of giving which exists when people who love one another give presents."

"Children sincerely want to believe that Santa Claus exists — it's a part of our culture," Arnold said. "Even if older brothers or sisters reveal the facts, children will continue to believe."

Such strongly held beliefs in youngsters is not all bad, he said, because a belief in Santa Claus has a value much like the value of fairy tales in the development of a child's imagination.

"I've never known anyone who suffered psychological harm because his parents permitted him to believe in Santa Claus," the psychiatrist said.

The Santa myth is not the real problem, but rather the overindulgent parent, he said.

"Parents often want their children to have all the things they never had, but it isn't wise to give a child everything he wants," Arnold said. "In fact, many child development experts talk about the necessity of experiencing frustration."

"The young child in particular must learn that he can't control the world."

Parents should not be upset if their

FBI Investigates Insurance Officials

CLEVELAND (AP) — The FBI is conducting an investigation into allegations that Ohio officials accepted bribes from insurance companies for immediate licensing so the companies could sell policies in the state.

FBI agent Steve Gladis said Friday that the investigation centers on out-of-state insurance companies and that it covers present and former employees of the Ohio Department of Insurance.

Ohio Insurance Director Harry V. Jump said he is unaware of any wrongdoing in the department, but he pledged cooperation with the FBI.

Last Tuesday, James F. Mosier, assistant insurance director, testified before a federal grand jury in Cleveland investigating the bribery allegations, the Cleveland Plain Dealer reported. Jump said the grand jury asked Mosier about admissions regulations for out-of-state insurance companies.

There is a waiting period for licensing to permit the state to conduct background checks on the applicant companies.

Mosier could not be reached for comment. Jump said Mosier has a clean record.

offspring don't seem properly appreciative of the gifts they get, he added.

"It isn't realistic to expect gratitude from a child," he said. "The harder parents try, the less likely they'll get that appreciation."

Some other Christmas advice from the OSU expert:

—Don't single out one child over the others in a family for gifts.

—Gifts should be selected on the basis of the child's wants in light of the family's income and other obligations.

—Parents might include coupons entitling a child to a certain amount of mom or dad's time.

—Don't give a gift that you can't stand to see broken.

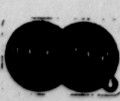
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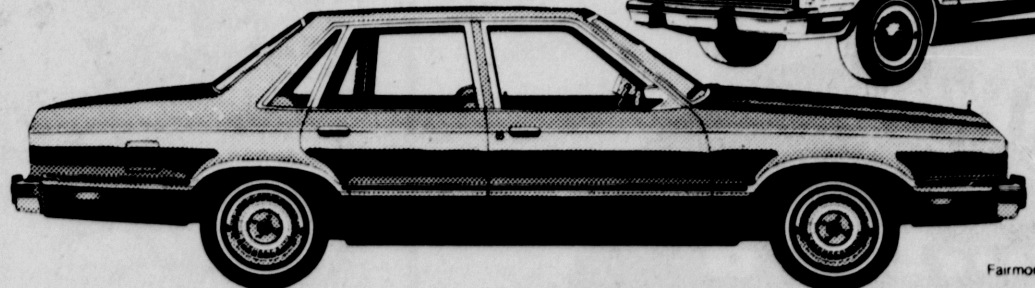
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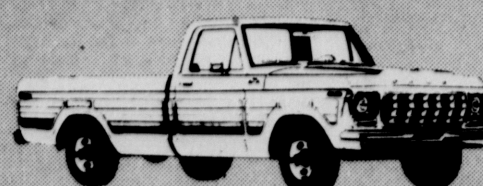
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SCHOOL BUSING PLAN OVERTURNED — Students at the Belmont High School in Dayton, O., board school buses after classes as they have been doing under a court-

ordered plan for the past year and a half. The busing order was overturned by the same Federal District judge, Carl Rubin, who made the original order.

Postal Service May Close Small Town Post Offices Soon

WASHINGTON (AP) — Eagle City, Okla., may not be such a high flier soon.

Such towns as Eagle City may be without their money-losing post offices shortly as a result of regulations taking effect today. The new rules allow the Postal Service to close offices again after a moratorium that had been in effect since July 1, 1976.

The Eagle City Post Office serves 14 customers. Last year it took in \$708, but cost \$11,972 to operate. The American public made up the difference through their postal rates and income taxes.

This rural post office is one of thousands that are losing money. The Postal Service has been eyeing them for years, but rural congressmen have pressured the agency to keep the facilities open, leading to the 17-month moratorium on closings.

Under a law passed by Congress, the

Postal Service cannot close a rural office merely because it is losing money. The law mandates that a list of procedures be met before any office is closed and that service as good or better be maintained afterward.

In the case of Eagle City, the Postal Service previously found it could keep the current level of service without an office in the town. "All customers are on the present line of travel of a rural route and can be served at virtually no additional cost," a report this year to the Postal Service's ruling board said.

The Eagle City facility was one of 231 scheduled for closing before the moratorium was imposed. The Postal Service had said the annual savings from those closings would be \$2.3 million.

Postmaster General Benjamin F. Bailar has repeatedly said there would be "no wholesale closing" of post offices and that each closing would be considered separately.

In the new regulations, the Postal Service has guaranteed that local residents will have a chance to register their views before any action. In addition, appeals on any closing decision will be allowed before the Postal Rate Commission, a separate agency.

The process is expected to take four to eight months before any office can be closed.

The Postal Service will allow residents to keep the community mailing address when a post office is closed. Thus, mail will still be addressed to such places as Smile, Ky.; Chicken, Alaska; and Zap, N.D., even if those towns no longer have their own post offices.

This was done because of complaints that a town loses its identity when its post office closes.

One Postal Service staff study found that \$490 million could be saved by closing 17,000 of the nation's 30,000 post offices without hurting service. This compares to a postal deficit of \$662 million in the last fiscal year.

Read The Classifieds



AWARDED — Martha J. Danner received a 25-year service award from General Electric's Circleville Lamp Plant from Plant Manager E. G. Grigg. She began her career in Circleville Packing. She is currently a base threader, a position she has held for two years.

No Relapse Of Blue Flu Anticipated

CLEVELAND (AP) — The president of the Cleveland Police Patrolmen's Association says that as long as contract negotiations continue with the city, he foresees no immediate relapse of the "blue flu."

William J. McNea's prediction came during a 75-minute briefing Sunday of

Cleveland patrolmen who last week staged a sick-call job action for two days to express their dissatisfaction with the course of contract negotiations.

The 1,200 patrolmen who called in sick returned to work Saturday morning after city council leaders gave McNea assurances that police would get a fair deal in their contract.

However, Cleveland Mayor Dennis Kucinich, who had threatened to fire patrolmen who didn't show up for work, claimed credit for the end of the job action. He said his hard line

against the sick-call protest forced the return of the patrolmen.

Bargaining with the city resumed Saturday. The city has offered to raise base salaries to \$16,520 a year, a \$1,500 a year raise. When negotiations began in September, the patrolmen demanded base pay of \$18,500 a year.

A major issue is the police demand that they receive immediate cash payment for overtime, instead of deferred overtime paid when they retire.

Auditor Releases Public Defender Fees To Counties

State Auditor Thomas E. Ferguson reported today that a total of \$343,596.24 was distributed to Ohio Counties as reimbursement for costs incurred under their public defender programs.

Of that amount, \$262,860.72 was mailed to 60 counties to cover legal fees due court-appointed attorneys for indigent persons convicted of felonies.

Pickaway County received \$272.50. Additionally, 12 counties received \$80,735.52 as reimbursement for office expenses incurred under the Public Defender Program.

Skinny Prisoners Flee From Jail

CLEVELAND (AP) — The Cuyahoga County Jail is facing a problem that has officials wondering just how secure their new lockup is — skinny prisoners.

Since July, four prisoners have slipped through 10-inch wide openings in the jail windows. Three were captured in the jail area, and the one that got away was recaptured a day later.

"I'm getting to the point," said Sheriff Gerald McPaul. "Where I'm looking up at the structure, trying to see if there is anyone hanging from a bedsheet, trying to escape."

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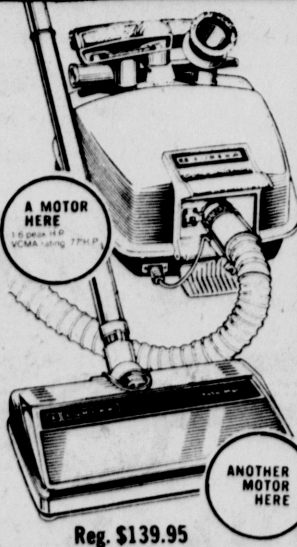
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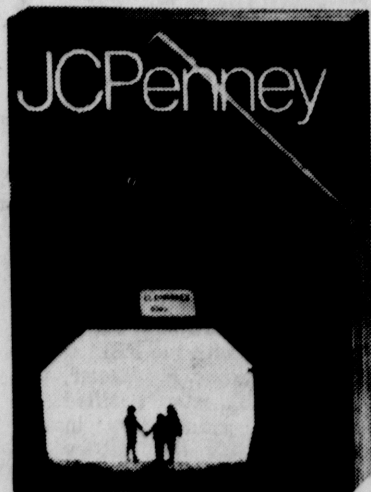
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Jetliner Crashes; 21 Survive

FUNCHAL, Madeira (AP) — At least 19 persons were killed and 17 are missing in the crash of a chartered Swiss jetliner bringing tourists to this holiday island in the Atlantic for Christmas. Rescuers pulled 21 survivors from the sea and were looking for more.

The charter company operating the flight said all 57 persons aboard were Swiss.

The twin-engine Caravelle jet from Zurich and Geneva crashed Sunday several hundred yards off the beach at the village of Porto Novo, about six miles from its destination, Santa Caterina Airport. Witnesses said the plane stayed afloat about five minutes.

Swiss investigators were flying to Madeira to investigate the crash. There was no immediate indication of the cause.

Hospital officials in Funchal, the island capital, reported the survivors in generally satisfactory condition. The plane's pilot and two of the other four crew members were among those rescued.

One of the survivors, Maria Luciana Oliveira Pult, who was on her honeymoon, said after the pilot announced they were about to land, she heard a strange noise in the wings.

"Suddenly I felt the plane hit something and the roof split open," she continued. "Someone handed me a lifebelt. I asked for another for my husband and it was passed over."

"I don't know how we got into the water but the next thing we knew we were holding on to a fishing buoy and freezing."

Her husband was rescued with her.

Funchal air traffic control said the plane was in radio and visual contact with ground controllers when it started losing altitude during an otherwise normal approach.

A controller said the pilot was told to pull up, but there was no reply. "We tried repeatedly to contact him but there was no answer." Then "the plane went off our radar screen."

It was the second crash in less than a month on the mountainous Portuguese island, about 400 miles west of the African coast and 600 miles southwest of Lisbon. On Nov. 20, a Portuguese Boeing 727 of the national airline, TAP, crashed on landing at Funchal, killing 130 of the 164 persons aboard. That crash is still under investigation.

The small mouth organ commonly referred to as a harmonica is actually an aeolina, invented in 1829 by Sir Charles Wheatstone. Harmonica is a generic name given to instruments that produce sound through friction on glass bells.



LEGION PARTY — Darts and a ball toss were two of the activities enjoyed by children of members of the American Legion at the annual Christmas party at the Legion Hall

Sunday afternoon. Refreshments, individual gifts, and a visit from Santa Claus was also part of the fun.

Consumers Should Know Something About Firewood

By LOUISE COOK

Associated Press Writer

Millions of Americans are warding off the chill of long winter nights with roaring log fires. Consumers will find it pays to know something about the wood they burn.

Fireplaces seem to be growing in popularity. A spokesman for the National Association of Home Builders said Census Bureau figures show 58 per cent of all new homes built in 1976 had at least one fireplace, compared to only 37 per cent in 1972.

A growing number of people also are using firewood in wood-burning stoves. Since stoves are more efficient than fireplaces the price of the wood burned in them becomes competitive with that of other fuels.

But it is also important to realize that fires in fireplaces waste energy. As much as 20 per cent of the air in your house can be pulled up the chimney in an hour when a fire is burning.

Unless you install special equipment, more than three-fourths of the heat produced by the fire will go up the chimney.

To select the right firewood, you must take into consideration the size of your fireplace and the type of fire you want.

The best fires come from a mixture of woods.

Softwoods like pine, spruce and fir catch fire easily and burn quickly with a hot flame. They are good to use to start your fire, but a blaze made entirely of this kind of logs needs constant replenishment or it will burn out rapidly. Your expensive woodpile also will disappear quickly.

For a long-lasting fire, you should choose denser hardwoods like ash, beech, birch, hickory, maple and oak. They burn with a shorter flame than softwoods but last longer. Oak gives the most uniform flame and provides steady, glowing coals.

Logs from fruit and nut trees such as apple, cherry, hickory and pecan give off a pleasant aroma when burned. Add some of these after you've got your fire going.

Most wood will not burn well unless it is dry. The easiest way to make sure the wood is properly seasoned is to buy it several months before you use it. If this isn't practical, look for wood with cracks in the end pieces; freshly cut wood will have tight, solid ends with visible sawmarks.

The most common measure of firewood is the standard cord which measures eight feet by four feet by four feet or 128 cubic feet. A standard cord of dense, dry hardwood generally weighs about two tons and provides as much heat — assuming none of it is wasted — as a ton of coal, 150 to 175 gallons of heating oil or 24,000 cubic feet of natural gas.

Few people burn eight- or four-foot logs so most dealers cut the wood into

smaller lengths and sell it in something called a face cord. A face cord of 16-inch lengths is one-third the size of a full cord. Look for a cord that is tightly stacked without large gaps between the logs. If you buy according to weight instead of volume, look for the driest wood. Don't pay for extra

water.

Prices — and the amount you need — vary widely depending on where you live and how often you have a fire going. If you buy a hard wood and light a fire only once or twice a week, a face cord equal to one-third a standard cord should be adequate for a season.



KENTUCKY COLONEL — In ceremonies held Sunday afternoon in the office of Fairfield County Sheriff Dan Berry, Fairfield County Deputy Sheriff Malcomb Hamilton, right, acting on behalf of Kentucky Governor Julian M. Carroll, bestowed on Pickaway County Sheriff Dwight Radcliff the commission of "Kentucky Colonel". Deputy Hamilton, in presenting Radcliff with the commission, stated that it was being presented "in recognition for outstanding leadership in the field of law enforcement to the citizens of Pickaway County and the State of Ohio." He further recognized Sheriff Radcliff's leadership in the Buckeye State Sheriff's Association and the National Sheriff's Association, and noted the acquaintance of Sheriff Radcliff and Superintendent Lewis Babb of the Kentucky State Police, who were classmates at the FBI National Academy in Washington D.C. in 1967.

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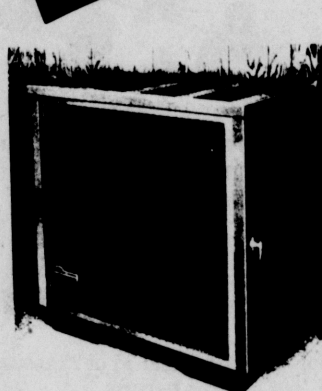
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Tiger Matmen Tie For 1st In Tourney

It was a great effort by coach Brent Bell's Circleville wrestling team Saturday as they battled powerful Licking Heights to a first place tie in the annual Circleville Kiwanis Tournament on the local high school mats.

The Tigers and Licking Heights tied with 161½ points apiece followed by Wehrle, 121; Madison Plains, 100½; Miami Trace, 92½; Fairfield Union, 87; Bloom Carroll, 37 and Ironton 21.

A complete team effort was the cause of the Tigers success as 12 of the 13 Tigers placed in the tournament. The Red and Black grapplers took one first place, four seconds, four thirds and three fourths in the meet.

Rodney Cook captured the 98-pound division to give the Red and Black its first place.

Dan Eckel of Wehrle was named the outstanding wrestler in the tournament while Gary Weisenstein of

Licking Heights gained the quickest pin trophy with three pins in 2:56.

The championship trophies and individual awards were presented by Walter Hall, president of the Circleville Kiwanis who sponsored the tournament.

"I was very pleased with the fine wrestling of the entire Circleville team as they showed great desire and balance and came through with the points we needed," coach Brent Bell commented.

The Tigers will return to the mats Jan. 7 when they host Hillsboro.

Here are the complete results of Saturday's tournament:

98-pound—Rodney Cook (C), Casey (I), Peart (MP), Kasser (LH).

105-pound—Eckel (W), Paul Johnson (C), Martindale (BC), Hoffman (FU).

112-pound—Slutz (MT), Weldon (W), Dave Happeney (C), Elick (FU).

119-pound—Peart (MP), Hoffman (FU), Decot (BC), Jeff Vinkovich (C).

126-pound—Carpenter (FU), Perigo (MP), Mike Contino (C), Merritt (W).

132-pound—Kollmer (W), Carr (LH), Doug Brown (C), Wheeler (FU).

138-pound—Wills (LH), Wheeler (MP), John Harr (C), Hatem (W).

145-pound—Henderson (LH), Slavens (W), Delong (MP), Cottrill (BC).

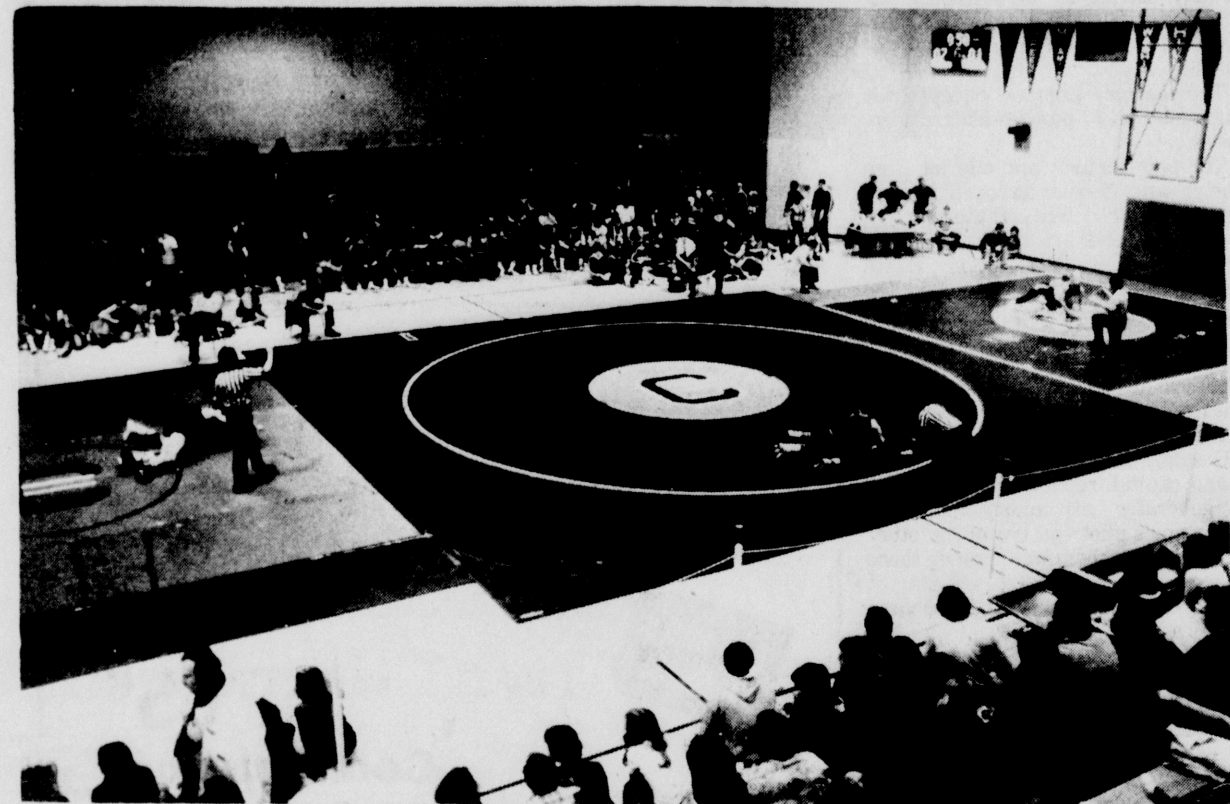
155-pound—Carey (W), Steve Vinkovich (C), Stuckey (MT), Jago (LH).

167-pound—Radovich (LH), Mark Linton (C), Emrich (MP), Noltmeyer (W).

175-pound—Kilcoyne (LH), Hennessey (MT), Lafler (MP), Mark O'Dell (C).

185-pound—Weisenstein (LH), Tim Housh (C), Cobb (MT), Black (W).

Hvy-weight — Burr (MT), Martindale (FU) Thomas (LH), Paul Thompson (C).



PLENTY OF ACTION — All three mats are full and going strong at the Circleville Kiwanis Invitational Wrestling Tournament Saturday at the high school. The Circleville

Tigers turned in a great team performance as they tied State A champion Licking Heights for first place in the event.

Mustangs Drop Tilt To Flaget

By TOM SPRING
Herald Sports Writer

The Westfall Mustangs lost a tough physical game to Bishop Flaget 69-59 despite a second half comeback that saw them outscore the Panthers 24-14 in the final frame.

Playing back-to-back games was a factor, Mustang Head Coach Mike Eckle said. Free throws were a factor as well, as Bishop Flaget won the game at the foul line sinking 39 of 54 charity tosses.

Despite very vocal displeasure with calls from the Mustang fans, Eckle said his squad was to blame.

But, whatever happened to Westfall in the first half was turned around, and the Pickaway County lads played creditably in the second.

Bret Mavis took scoring honors with 26 points, 18 coming at the free throw line in 24 attempts for 75 percent foul shooting.

Carl Sabo fired 13 points, Steve Trainer hooped eight, Randy James netted six, Dave Byers made five, Don Berling sank four free throws and Juan Menefee two at the line.

Chris Weaver became the sixth Mustang in as many games to take scoring honors with 14 points. The man from Derby made five field goals in six attempts and had a perfect day at the line.

Larry List hit 10, Jeff Mowery canned six, Bruce Starkey tallied five, Dan Schleich, Dale Ruoff, Kevin Creamer and Jerry Mowery each added four points, Greg Cooper scored two and Randy Hartzell sank a free throw.

Westfall sank 22 of 50 shots from the

National Racquetball Champs Decided

MARIETTA, Ga. (AP) — Marty Hogan of St. Louis captured the men's title and Peggy Steding of Odessa, Texas, took the women's crown Sunday in the National Racquetball Club professional tournament here.

Hogan defeated reigning national champion Dave Bledsoe of Kingsport, Tenn., 21-4, 21-3, in Sunday's play.

Steding beat Jennifer Harding of Portland, Ore., 21-13, 21-16 in the women's competition.

Caps Recall Goalie

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Washington Capitals announced Sunday the recall of goalie Bernie Wolfe from their American Hockey League farm team, the Hershey Bears.

A spokesman for the National Hockey League club said Wolfe will join goalies Gary Smith and Jim Bedard for the Capitals' practice Monday.

Wolfe was sent down to the Bears two weeks ago and replaced by rookie Bedard, who played in all but two of Washington's last eight games.

Wolfe, who has been with the Capitals since October, 1975, was sent to the Bears so the farm team would have two goalies.

field for 44 percent and 15 of 22 tosses at the line for 68.2 percent.

Bishop Flaget sank only 15 of 40 field goal attempts for 37 percent but made 39 of 54 attempts from the charity stripe for a 72.2 percentage.

The Mustangs won the battle of the boards 34-21. Dan Schleich led Westfall with eight, Bruce Starkey took six down and Chris Weaver had five.

Bret Mavis had six and Carl Sabo five for the Panthers.

Chris Weaver started the game by scoring at 7:22 but Steve Trainer, Bret Mavis and Carl Sabo changed that tune to 6-2.

Dale Ruoff scored a goal at 5:35 for Westfall but Juan Menefee and Mavis upped the score to 9-4.

It was nip and tuck for a while, but Bishop Flaget pulled out a 21-14 first quarter lead.

The Panthers scored eight points in a row in the second quarter before Weaver sank two free throws at 4:50 to make the score 28-16.

Bishop Flaget ran the count to 33-16 before the Mustangs began to score again. The Green and Gold took a 37-23 lead into the locker room.

Westfall came out of the locker room and stuck with the Panthers until late in the quarter despite the fact that the Panthers were going to the line almost every minute. Larry List scored eight points in the frame to lead the Mustangs.

The third period ended with Bishop Flaget ahead 55-35. The final quarter was all Westfall's as eight Mustangs cut the gap in half.

A good example of the Mustang play occurred near the three minute mark when Larry List broke up a pass in the back court, flipped the ball to Dan Schleich who threw down court to the breaking Jeff Mowery. Mowery drove in and hit a fadeaway jumper which narrowed the score to 61-49.

An amazing statistic in the fourth quarter was that Bishop Flaget scored 12 of their 14 points on free throws.

Tom Adams, Jerry Mowery and Randy Hartzell fouled out in the final frame.

Coach Eckle was proud of the way his team came back in the second half. "We only gave up four baskets in the second half," he said. "Our kids started going for the ball."

"We played the last 1½ quarters with our substitutes. Larry List played an awful good game, Dan Schleich did a good job and Jeff Mowery picked up the tempo."

Of the first half, Eckle said, "I don't think we'll play that way again. The kids have too much pride."

The reserve squad of Coach Brent Utts lost a 56-50 game in overtime.

The little Mustangs trailed until 1:53 left in the game when they tied the score 47-47. Mike Whitten added a free throw at 0:44 but a Panther tied the game on a toss and the game went into overtime.

Chris Dawes cinched the game for the home team with six points and it was all over.

Westfall trailed by quarter scores of

13-7, 30-25 and 43-35 before their comeback in the fourth canto.

Coach Utts said, "Our kids never gave up. This is the third time we were down (in a game) and came back."

Mike Whitten scored 13 points for the Mustangs, Doug Creamer fired 10, Chuck Sollars tallied nine, David Roush netted eight, Dan Comer canned six and Tracey Puckett added four.

Chris Dawes led the Panthers with 17 points, Dave Peterson had 14, Todd Cook made 12, Joe White sank seven, Dave Berling and Joe Stitt each added three.

Westfall has a 2-4 overall record and a 2-3 Scioto Valley Conference record. The Mustangs will be at Unioto Thursday in a rescheduled SVC encounter.

SUMMARY

WESTFALL - Starkey 2-1-5; M. List 0-0-0; Weaver 5-4-14; Schleich 1-2-4; Ruoff 2-0-4; Creamer 1-2-4; L. List 3-4-10; Adams 2-1-5; Jerry Mowery 3-0-4; Cooper 1-0-2; Jeff Mowery 3-0-6; Hartzell 0-1-1. Totals, 22-15-59.

BISHOP FLAGET - Mavis 4-18-26; Berling 0-4-4; Trainer 4-0-8; Day 1-3-5; James 1-4-6; Byers 2-1-5; Sabo 3-7-13; Menefee 0-2-2; Boyle 0-0-0.

Score By Qtrs. 1 2 3 F
Westfall 14 37 55 59
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SPORTS

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Tough 4th Quarter Brings Tigers Loss

Circleville had a cool shooting hand from the floor Saturday night as they dropped a 55-49 decision to Bloom Carroll on the Bulldogs' floor.

The Tigers found themselves trailing, 18-14, at the end of the first period but fought back in the second canto to grab a 30-29 lead as the teams went to the locker room at halftime.

They battled the Bulldogs on even terms during the third frame to maintain a one-point edge, 38-37, at the third period buzzer. But, the roof fell in on the Roundtowners as they found the lid on the bucket and the calls going against them as they only tallied 11 points in the period while the Bulldogs were lighting the scoreboard for 18 markers and a 55-49 win.

"It was one of the nights when we just couldn't find the basket as we had our shots but they didn't fall and when this happens it makes things tough," Circleville coach Dennis Stewart commented.

The Tigers sent the ball up 53 times from the floor but it only found its way home 18 times for a cold 34 percent. Things weren't much better at the foul stripe where the Red and Black converted 13 of 21 for 63 percent.

This was the key factor in the contest as Bloom Carroll hit 19 of 41 from the floor for 46 percent and netted 17 of 23 from the charity line for 74 percent.

Toren Bensonhaver led Circleville with 14 points, Brian Seacock added 12, Pete Harrison netted seven, Roy Huffer hit six, Don Hill connected for five, Richard Pfeleeger tallied three and Dave Holbrook had two.

Dave Campbell paced Bloom Carroll and all scorers with 24 big ones, Cheek had eight, Rarick and Kanipe each hit six, Goodyear tallied four, Hughes three while Azbell and Norris both netted two.

Bloom Carroll captured the battle of the boards as they outrebounded the Tigers, 31-19. Bensonhaver had seven for the Red and Black. Circleville committed 15 turnovers while the

Bulldogs misplayed the ball 19 times. Circleville is now 3-2 and will be at Miami Trace 6:30 p.m. Thursday in a makeup game originally scheduled for Circleville. The Tigers will host Trace later.

It was a different story for coach Jim Diltz's reserves. After being tied 6-6 at the first quarter they roared back and took complete control as they took a 62-30 verdict over Bloom Carroll.

Danny Martin led Circleville with 21 points, Mark Morrison had 12, Anthony Smith eight, Keith Lewis seven, Dave McKinney six, Mike Harrison four while Stan Lasoski and Brad Allen each had two. McClure led BC with 12 and Rarick had eight.

The Tiger reserves are now 3-1 and will be at Miami Trace Thursday.

Pistons Seek Coach

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — No one has ever managed to coach the Detroit Pistons four complete seasons — but that apparently won't stop the search for someone who can last a long time at the perilous post 11 men have had in 14 years.

"I am looking for a competent person we would want to have here for years to come," said Piston General Manager and Interim Coach Bob Kauffman after his team beat New Orleans 117-108 Sunday night.

Kauffman said he didn't know how long the search for a permanent coach would last, but that he was not one of the candidates.

"I was pressed into servitude," Kauffman said. "I don't want to be a coach, I'm a general manager."

It was the first victory in three games since Kauffman took over after Herbie Brown was fired on Thursday.

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Logan Elm Braves Come From Behind

The Logan Elm Braves battled back from an 11-point deficit to defeat visiting Millersport by two points, 56-54, Saturday, handing the Lakers their first loss in the Mid State League.

Word seems to be getting around the league that the Braves have trouble attacking a zone defense. The LE coaching staff has scouted the Lakers three times and saw them use a full court pressure defense in all three games. Expecting the same kind of defense Saturday, Coach Butch Kobel spent most of the week drilling his charges in working against the full court pressure.

But the visiting Lakers set up a tight zone and stuck with it until the final scrambling minutes of a thrilling game. LE did a little better job with their zone offense according to Kobel, but their shooting still left a lot to be desired.

As a team LE made 24 of 64 field goal attempts, a 38 per cent shooting average. The Braves committed 19 turnovers, but held a slight edge in the rebounding, 35-34, came up with 16 recoveries and as a team had 15 assists.

The scoring was fairly evenly divided for the Braves. The cousins on the team, Terry Wright and Tom Congrove, led the way with 13 points apiece. Jerry Scanlan tallied nine, Jeff Collins and Mark Vanover hooped eight each, Dan Hill netted four and Rock Huggins one.

For the visitors, who cashed in on 23 of 54 shots from the field for a 51 per cent shooting average, Bill Caldwell led the way with 17 points. Pat Sandusky and John Clark both scored nine, Jon Mostell and Don Waller eight each, Steve Lewis two and John Clark nine.

The game started with Millersport scoring a point before the clock ever started when a technical was assessed against the Braves for a score book violation.

Scoring was slow in the initial eight minutes of action with Logan Elm holding a 6-2 lead midway through the period, but falling behind 10-9 as the buzzer sounded.

They regained the lead at the onset of the second quarter, but the Lakers reeled off six unanswered points in the

closing seconds of the period to take a 28-23 lead to the locker room at the half.

After giving up the first basket of the second half to LE, the Lakers again went on a scoring spree with eight unanswered points for an 11-point lead, 36-25. The Braves began whittling slowly away at that lead and by the time the quarter was over the Lakers led by three, 42-39.

Logan Elm tied the score in the first six seconds of the final canto on a 3-point play by Wright and then went ahead when Congrove sank a 15-foot jump shot. The two teams traded baskets and then Millersport forged ahead, 48-46, and they held the lead until Scanlan knotted the score at 52-all with a foul shot and 1:47 showing on the clock.

Wright put the Braves ahead with 1:30 to go, but the scrappy Lakers were not about to give up and John Clark tied the score at 54-54 with about a minute to go.

The teams then traded turnovers, with Logan Elm losing the ball with 47 seconds on the clock and then Millersport throwing it away with 43 seconds to go. In the wild scramble

following the Lakers' turnover, Vanover was tackled and got a chance at the foul line. He made both ends of the one and one to give the Braves a 2-point lead.

The Lakers missed the shot at their end of the court and Scanlan came down with the rebound. Collins was then fouled with 11 seconds to go, but missed the first chance of the one and one and the Lakers got the rebound.

They took one last shot with three seconds, missed the bucket and Scanlan again made the key rebound, preventing the visitors from getting a second chance to tie the game.

"Millersport will be heard from this year," Coach Kobel said after the game, indicating he has a very healthy respect for the team from the Buckeye Lake area.

About the Braves, the coach said, "I was more pleased with our full court defense tonight, especially in the second half."

He had special praise for Scanlan, who had 11 rebounds to lead the Braves in that department, Congrove, Wright and Vanover who came off the bench to score eight points.

It was Logan Elm's first home game

of the season. The Braves are now 2-1 in the Mid State and 3-1 overall. Millersport has a 3-3 record.

The reserves kept their perfect record in tact with a 64-51 decision over the young Lakers. All the reserves got into the game and all scored except Randy Hannigan.

Mel Martin and Beeman Leasure shared the scoring laurels with 12 points each, Rookie Colliton tallied 11, Phil Evans eight, Doug Hemming four, Brett Green, Bill Archer, Carl Adams, Chris Hildenbrand two each.

The Braves host Fisher Catholic Tuesday in the final game before the Christmas holidays

SUMMARY
LOGAN ELM — Wright, 6-1-13; Hill, 2-0-4; Scanlan, 3-3-9; Congrove, 6-1-13; Collins, 4-0-8; Vanover, 3-2-8; Huggins, 0-1-1. Totals, 24-8-56.

MILLERSPORT — Mostell, 4-0-8; Caldwell, 8-1-17; Lewis, 0-2-2; Sandusky, 4-1-9; Waller, 3-2-8; Sabo, 0-1-1; Clark, 4-1-9. Totals, 23-8-54.

Score by Qtrs.
Logan Elm 1 2 3 F
Millerspt. 9 23 39 56
Reserve Game: Logan Elm 64, Millersport 51.



REBOUND BATTLE — Tom Congrove of Logan Elm battles for a rebound with an unidentified Millersport player. Other

Braves in the action are Terry Wright, Mark Martin and Rock Huggins. Logan Elm won, 56-54.

LE Wrestlers Split Tri Meet

Logan Elm High School wrestling team opened its season Saturday defeating St. Charles 51-17 and losing to Dublin 42-24 in a triangular match at LEHS.

Jeff Scanlan in the 98-pound class pinned Gibson of St. Charles in 3:49 and was pinned by Kesseling in 1:58.

Gene Fletcher decisioned King of St. Charles 12-7 and was pinned by Gaal.

Jim Teets, Logan Elm's 112-pound wrestler, was a double winner, pinning Shea of St. Charles in 2:15 and Policarol of Dublin in 1:34.

Mike Wolford was pinned by Nye of St. Charles in 5:05 and decisioned Fletcher of Dublin 15-11. At 126 pounds, Brian Adkins won by forfeit because St. Charles had no wrestler at that weight and pinned Ritcher of Dublin in 4:15.

At 132 Dave Kennedy decisioned Bressler of St. Charles 8-7 and was decisioned by Green of Dublin 14-10. At 138 Jim Weaver pinned Dafluas in 2:20 and was pinned by Loveland of Dublin in 5:12.

Rick Hoffman at 145 was decisioned by Holgate of St. Charles 20-7 and pinned Bland of Dublin in 1:34. Brent Gifford decisioned Elfleil of St. Charles 11-6 and Chapman of Dublin 4-3 for a double win for the Braves.

Kent Hardin won by forfeit over St. Charles and was decisioned by Kanatas of Dublin 9-4. Larry Smith won by forfeit and was pinned by Gerek of Dublin in 3:25. Logan Elm forfeited the 185-pound class to both St. Charles and Dublin. Terry Wadlington won over St. Charles by forfeit and was pinned by Jacks in 3:40.

The next action for Logan Elm will be Jan. 7 at their own invitational. Teams in the event will be St. Charles, Mifflin, Trimble, Columbus Academy, Greenfield, Lakewood, Portsmouth and the hosts.

TV Matmen Pin Newark

Teays Valley's wrestling team traveled to Newark in a dual meet which saw the Vikings come home with a tight 30-29 decision over the big AAA school.

Winning or drawing for first places for Teays Valley in the meet were: Bill Guzik, 0-0 tie, 126-pound; Wes Henson, 1-2 decision, 132-pound; Randy Breen, pin 3:04, 155-pound; Rex Pierce, 5-5 tie, 167-pound; Dan Schooley, 15-3 superior decision, 175-pound; Richard Meyers, pin 1:13, 185-pound; Craig Meyers, pin 3:00, Hvy. "We were very pleased with our winning performance over a big AAA school," the Teays Valley coaches commented.

Teays Valley will travel to Hillsboro to meet the Indians 6:30 p.m. Tuesday.

The slowest running time for the Kentucky Derby at one mile and one-quarter was the 2:15 1-5 by Stone Street in winning the 1908 renewal.

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NFL Playoff Berths Filled

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
First Bob Thomas kicked Chicago into the playoffs. Then a couple of coaches kicked a bit about the way Baltimore got there.
Thomas' heart-stopping field goal, Bert Jones' extraordinary passing (and his bit of good fortune on a controversial "quick" whistle) and Billy Johnson's dazzling speed and moves filled in the final division titles and wild cards Sunday. After 14 weeks, 28 teams have become eight for the start of the National Football League's second season, the road toward Super Bowl XII Jan. 15 in the Louisiana Superdome.

On Saturday, Washington beat Los Angeles, the NFC West champion, 17-14 and kept alive its hopes of a playoff berth. On Sunday, Thomas' 28-yard field goal, kicked in a brutal freezing rainstorm with nine seconds left in sudden-death overtime, gave Chicago a 12-9 victory over the New York Giants, gave the Bears the National Conference wild card and kicked the Redskins' hopes down the drain.

The Bears had to settle for the wild card because Minnesota clinched the NFC Central Division title Saturday night with a 30-21 victory over Detroit.

Also on Saturday, Miami remained in the playoff picture by beating Buffalo 31-14. But the Dolphins needed a loss by Baltimore to win the American Conference's East Division title. For more than two periods, things looked fine for them, because New England led the Colts 21-3.

Then Jones struck for three touchdown passes and the Colts, aided by what some felt was a questionable call, roared to a 30-24 victory that kayoed the Dolphins' playoff plans.

In Sunday's other berth-deciding action, Pittsburgh, which beat San Diego 10-9 in a game it really didn't have to win, backed into the AFC Central title when Cincinnati tossed it away by losing 21-16 to Houston.

In games involving other playoff-bound teams, NFC East champ Dallas defeated AFC West champ Denver 14-6 and Oakland, the AFC wild-card team, nosed out Kansas City 21-20.

And in other games, Tampa Bay beat St. Louis 17-7, Atlanta mauled New Orleans 35-7, Seattle downed Cleveland 20-19, Philadelphia shut out the New York Jets 27-0 and Green Bay topped San Francisco 16-14.

Here, then, is how next weekend's playoffs shape up. On Saturday, in the AFC, Oakland is at Baltimore and Pittsburgh is at Denver (where the Broncos beat the Steelers 21-7 last Nov. 6). A week from today, in the NFC first-round games, Chicago is at Dallas and Minnesota is at Los Angeles (where the Rams routed the Vikings

35-3 last Oct. 24).
Both conference championships will be played Jan. 1. If the Cowboys beat Chicago, they'll host the NFC title game. If the Bears and Los Angeles win, the Rams are the hosts. And if the Bears and Vikings win, Minnesota is the host since Chicago, as a wild-card team, cannot play a playoff game at home. In the AFC, Denver hosts the title game if it beats Pittsburgh. If the Steelers and Colts win, Baltimore is the site — and if the Steelers and Raiders win, Pittsburgh is the host since Oakland, like Chicago, is a wild-card team.

Bears 12, Giants 9
Thomas very nearly was the goat instead of the hero. In the first period he missed a field goal when the ball hit an upright. In the fourth quarter, after rookie Robin Earl ran four yards for the game's only touchdown, Thomas' extra-point try was batted down. And with less than 2½ minutes gone in the overtime he was wide on a field goal attempt that could have decided matters.

The victory put the Bears in the playoffs for the first time since they beat the Giants in the 1963 NFL championship game.

Colts 30, Patriots 24
"Bert ... showed what a great quarterback he is," Baltimore Coach Ted Marchibroda said after Jones' 19-for-30 passing game, his 340 yards gained and his touchdown passes covering 14, 78 and 12 yards — but a few folks thought "a lucky quarterback" might have been more appropriate.

Linebacker Sam Hunt recovered what appeared to be Jones' fumble at the New England 6-yard line — but the play had already been blown dead, the Colts kept possession and, moments later, Don McCauley scored the winning TD from the three with less than three minutes to go.

"The quarterback was in the grasp of the tackler and I blew the whistle," said referee Fred Silva. "The ball came out. That's it."

Said Chuck Fairbanks, coach of the disconsolate Patriots: "I thought it was a fumble, but there were a lot of plays which could have decided this game. That one came at the wrong time."

Oilers 21, Bengals 16
Billy "White Shoes" Johnson, caught six passes for 138 yards and a TD, rushed once for 31 yards, returned four kickoffs 81 yards and ran two punts back for 13 yards — 263 yards in all. And it was all Houston needed to even an old score and ruin the Bengals' playoff chances. The Oilers lost a 13-10 game to the Bengals earlier this year when an official's mistake took away a Houston touchdown.

Young tackled quarterback Ken Anderson in the end zone for a safety in the third quarter, Anderson hit Pat McNally with an 11-yard TD pass to pull the Bengals to a 15-13 deficit.
Houston retaliated with field goals of 27 and 26 yards by Tom Dempsey to put the game away. Bahr added a 24 yard field goal with 44 seconds left in the game. Houston then grabbed Bahr's on-sides kick and ran out the clock.

For Bengal Coach Bill Johnson, it was another year of disappointment. Cincinnati narrowly missed the playoffs last year.

"We had plenty of opportunities and we didn't take advantage of them," Johnson said. "They did what we thought they would do but things didn't go well for us. We were not as high as for our game against Pittsburgh last week."

Cincinnati got inside Houston's 10 four times during the game without scoring a touchdown. They settled for field goals three times and Boobie Clark fumbled the ball away at the Houston nine.

Billy "White Shoes" tried to remove the supernatural appearance of his performance.

Although Johnson would seem to disappear into thin air, only to pop up on the other side of the field, he said "Anybody could have caught those passes today. Dan was having a super day and he does his job well. It's easy for the rest of us."

The Bengals wouldn't accept that explanation however. "Johnson won the game for them," Bengal end Gary Burley said. "He put out the most effort of anybody."

"Billy Johnson should be their most valuable player," cornerback Lemar Parrish said. "He can do everything and more."

Despite Johnson's protests, they still believe in The Force.

Steelers 10, Chargers 9
Running back Sidney Thornton scored from a yard out and Roy Gerela kicked a 27-yard field goal in the third period to give Pittsburgh the victory over San Diego.

Cowboys 14, Broncos 6
Roger Staubach threw TD passes of 22 yards to Preston Pearson and 7 yards to Robert Newhouse and Tony Dorsett became only the eighth rookie to gain 1,000 yards (gaining 50 to finish with 1,007) for a season in Dallas' triumph against Denver. Each team finished at 12-2.

Raiders 21, Chiefs 20
Errol Mann atoned for a pair of extra-point misses by kicking a 28-yard field goal with 6:33 to play, giving the Raiders their victory over Kansas City.

Bucs 17, Cards 7
Gary Huff's passes of 61 and 62 yards to Morris Owens scored one TD and set up another score as the Bucs, loveable losers only two weeks ago, beat the Cardinals for their second straight victory. Tampa Bay's long-suffering fans responded with 21 standing ovations.

Falcons 35, Saints 7
Steve Bartkowski threw for two TDs and Haskel Stanback ran for two against the Saints. Meanwhile, Atlanta wound up allowing only 129 points all season, four lower than the 14game record set by the 1969 Minnesota Vikings.

Seahawks 20, Browns 19
Jim Zorn's TD pass to Steve Largent with 52 seconds to play gave Seattle its victory over the Browns and dimmed a bright performance by Greg Pruitt. He passed for one TD, ran for one and gained 127 yards rushing to finish with 1,086 for the season.

Eagles 27, Jets 0
Rookie Wilbert Montgomery scored on touchdown runs of 1 and 27 yards and gained 103 yards in his first start in the Eagles' romp over the Jets.

Packers 16, 49ers 14
Cornerback Willie Buchanan intercepted a pair of passes, setting up a field goal with one of them and running 29 yards for a TD with the other in Green Bay's victory over the 49ers.

Liberty Bowl Is Tonight

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) — Nebraska and North Carolina are two 1-formation football teams with a new breed of tailback.

At Nebraska, it's I.M. Hipp. At North Carolina, it's Amos Lawrence.

The two will square off tonight in the 19th annual Liberty Bowl game with Nebraska favored by a touchdown in the nationally televised contest (ABC-TV, 9 p.m., EST).

North Carolina, the Atlantic Coast Conference champion, finished 8-2-1 and led the nation in defense against scoring. Nebraska finished 8-3 and tied for second in the Big Eight.

"Isaiah (Hipp) is probably the first true breakaway back we've had at 1-back in a long time," said Nebraska Coach Tom Osborne. "He gives us a little bit different dimension than we've had in the past. We've had Jeff Kinney-type players who are 4.7 and strong and can do a lot of things well."

Hipp, a 200-pound sophomore, gained 1,336 yards on 197 carries although he didn't become a starter until Rick Berns was injured in the third game of the season.

North Carolina Coach Bill Dooley says Lawrence, a freshman, is "an entirely different type tailback than we've had over the years."

"We had Don McCauley, who is with the (Baltimore) Colts now. We had Sammy Johnson, who is with the (Minnesota) Vikings. We had Mike Voight, who is with Houston. All those people were big, strong, tough inside runners who had the ability to turn through arms. Amos is not that type tailback at all."

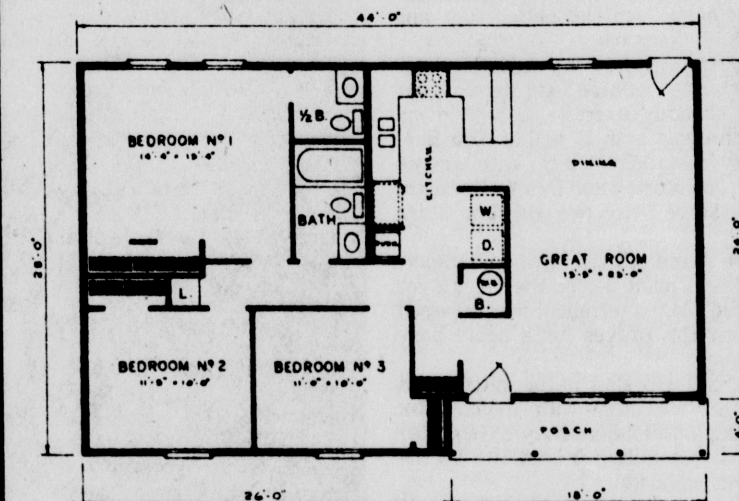
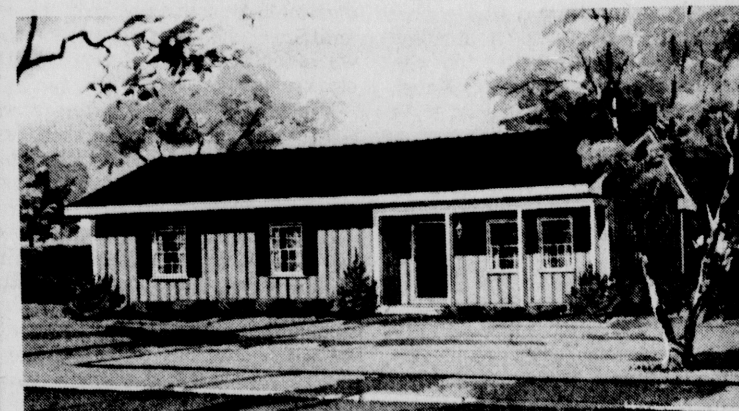
The 5-foot-10, 178-pound Lawrence gained 1,248 yards on 193 carries.

"He's one of those people you don't get a square shot at," Osborne said. "A lot of the bigger backs you have — once they're committed to a hole — they stay with it, but Lawrence is really able to go inside and still get outside very effectively."

Hipp, a dedicated weight-lifter, can bench press more than 350 pounds and holds the Nebraska football record on the leg sled with 915 pounds.

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Four-Corner Offense Torpedoes Cincinnati

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Gale Catlett doesn't call it basketball. Mike O'Koren does.
Actually, the view of the four-corner offense depends on where you stand — the losing or the winning side.
"Non-conference teams are just not used to it," said O'Koren after North Carolina's controversial offensive weapon torpedoed Catlett's Cincinnati team 67-59 Saturday night.
"No doubt about it," added O'Koren. "The four-corners won again."
Catlett, on the other hand, was more of the opinion that "Carolina didn't win it — we lost it."
"The best team didn't win," Catlett simmered. "If Carolina had played ball in the last seven minutes, instead of the four-corners, we would have won."
Like it or not, it was a typical victory for the nation's fifth-ranked team. The Tar Heels took a small lead midway through the second half and built on it with the help of the four-corners, which not only slows down tempo but opens up offensive opportunities.
The high-tension game, which North Carolina Coach Dean Smith called "a typical early-season matchup between Top Ten teams," resulted in the first loss this season for the sixth-ranked Bearcats.
In other games involving the ranked teams, No. 1 Kentucky blasted St. John's 102-72 in the finals of the Kentucky Invitational tournament at Lexington; No. 3 Marquette defeated Bowling Green 86-54; No. 7 Indiana State whipped Eastern Michigan 81-72; No. 8 UCLA beat UC-Santa Barbara 71-55 and No. 9 Nevada-Las Vegas buried Loyola of California 101-84.
Also, No. 11 San Francisco won the Golden Gate Invitational in San Francisco with a 98-93 victory over Baylor; 15th-ranked Michigan took a 92-79 decision over Central Michigan; No. 16 Detroit stopped Ball State 103-70; 18th-ranked Maryland beat Long Island University 94-64; No. 19 Kansas State dropped a 67-63 decision to Texas-El Paso in a consolation game of the Sun Bowl Classic in El Paso, Tex. and No. 20 Kansas outscored St. Louis University 85-65.
The tournaments in Lexington and San Francisco were two of many around the country over the weekend.
Utah won the Volunteer Classic in Knoxville with an 85-80 victory over host Tennessee; Dayton defeated Georgia Tech 65-63 to win the Dayton Invitational; Houston won its own Bluebonnet Classic with a 137-94 rout of North Texas; Memphis State edged Army 77-76 in overtime to win the Sun Bowl Classic; Santa Clara took the Cable Car Classic in Santa Clara, Cal., with an 82-79 decision over Portland; Florida State defeated Navy 82-55 in the finals of the Vulcan Classic in Birmingham, Ala., and Southwestern Louisiana took the Bayou Classic in

Lafayette, La., with a 98-81 triumph over Ohio University.
O'Koren and Hal Wood each scored 12 points and Phil Ford directed North Carolina's four-corner offense with his usual aplomb as the Tar Heels won at Greensboro, S.C.
The inside scoring of massive Mike Phillips and the outside shooting of guards Kyle Macy and Truman Claytor fired Kentucky past St. John's. The victory was Kentucky's sixth in a row this year and gave the Wildcats their 18th title in the 25th renewal of their tournament.
Marquette overpowered Bowling Green behind Ulice Payne's 16-point performance. The defending national champions, undefeated in five games, took command with a 10-point spree early in the first half and intimidated the Falcons the rest of the way with quickness on defense and superior size under the boards.
Larry Bird, the nation's leading scorer, poured in a game high 31 points to lead Indiana State past Eastern Michigan. Bird, who leads the country with a 31.8 average, also took game rebounding honors with 13.
Led by Raymond Townsend's perfect shooting performance, UCLA held off a strong comeback in the second half by UC Santa Barbara to beat the Gauchos. Townsend, the only senior on the Bruins' roster, made all nine of his field goal attempts as he collected 18 points to lead UCLA to its sixth victory in seven decisions.

Town Has Memorial To James Dean

CHOLAME, Calif. (AP) — This tiny community of five residents has a \$15,000 memorial to actor James Dean, killed nearby in an auto accident 22 years ago.
The memorial, erected around a tree a mile down the highway from where Dean died Sept. 30, 1955, was built by a wealthy Japanese businessman, Seita Ohnishi, who said he was an admirer of Dean.
Dean was 24 and had made three films — "East of Eden," "Rebel without a Cause" and "Giant" — when he was killed while going to an auto race.

Hawks Win In Double Overtime

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
For Atlanta Coach Hubie Brown, every game is an adventure in the National Basketball Association.
"This is a very unpredictable team," he says about his Hawks. "On the nights when we should lose we win and on some nights when we should win, we get blown out."
The Hawks "played dumb" Sunday night, according to Brown, but still hung in there to beat the Phoenix Suns 132-129 in double overtime.
In the other NBA games, the Milwaukee Bucks topped the Buffalo Braves 111-100; the Los Angeles Lakers whipped the Boston Celtics 104-97; the Cleveland Cavaliers turned back the Golden State Warriors 101-95; the Seattle SuperSonics tripped the Washington Bullets 111-109; the Detroit Pistons downed the New Orleans Jazz 117-108 and the Kansas City Kings defeated the Indiana Pacers 115-114.
Center Steve Hawes and 5-foot-8 guard Charlie Criss scored four points each in the second overtime to Atlanta's victory. The lead changed hands six times in the second overtime until Ollie Johnson hit two free throws to give the Hawks a 128-126 lead with 54 seconds left.

Bucks 111, Braves 100
Junior Bridgeman and Marques Johnson provided the boost as the Milwaukee Bucks, trailing 82-73 in the fourth quarter, caught Buffalo with a torrid late rally.
Bridgeman scored 10 of his 22 points and Johnson nine of his 19 in the final period as the Bucks gained their third consecutive victory.
Lakers 104, Celtics 97
Kareem Abdul-Jabbar scored 32 points to lead Los Angeles over Boston and hand the Celtics their 11th loss in 12 road games this season. Adrian Dantley, Jamaal Wilkes and Norm Nixon also played major roles as the Lakers sent the Celtics down to their 17th defeat in 27 games overall. Dantley, acquired from Indiana last week, scored 20 points, Wilkes added 18 and Nixon 16.

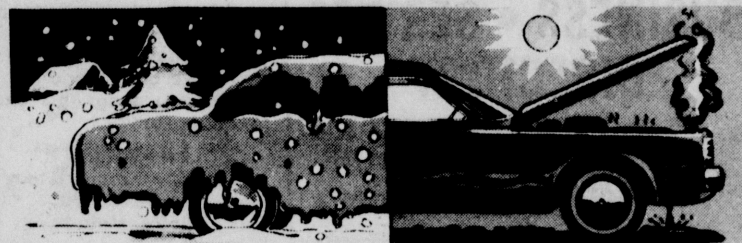
Pro Sports Shows Its Soul

NEW YORK (AP) — Big-time professional sports, scolded as being cold and callous, mercenary and selfish and riddled with violence, turned the other cheek Sunday night.
It showed it has a soul.
Stars of the past and present, old and young, black and white turned out in an atrocious hail and snow storm to pay tribute to 11 Israeli athletes, slain by Arab terrorists in the Munich Olympic Games of 1972.
Bias was stopped at the front door.
The occasion was a \$175-a-plate dinner staged by the American Friends of the Hebrew University to launch a memorial scholarship fund in memory of the so-called "Munich 11."
They came by wheelchair, taxi and train to share in a moment of remembrance six days before Christmas.
Bruce Jenner, the blond Adonis who won the difficult decathlon title at Montreal last year but who as a fledgling member of the 1972 team that shared the Israeli tragedy, flew in from Minneapolis and delivered the main address.
"I was upset when I first heard that the Arabs had taken the Israelis hostage," Jenner said. "I was sickened when I heard that 11 of them had been killed. But the impact did not hit me until weeks afterward. I think it was true of all the athletes there. They had worked so long and so hard that they didn't realize what was hap-

pening.
"Tragedies like this will continue until the Games are taken out of the hands of nationalistic governments and politicians."
The 1972 murders touched closer to home for Shep Messing, the handsome young Harvard University soccer star who was a member of the U.S. soccer team and went on to become goalie of the champion New York Cosmos.
"I was one of about 12 Jewish athletes on the U.S. team," he said. "Mark Spitz, who won seven gold medals in swimming, was another. Mark, of course, was hustled out of Munich and sent home for fear that he might be a natural target."
"The others of us of Jewish faith were given special security guards until the Games ended."
Messing said he agreed with Jenner that there would always be jealousies and violence in international sports until they were given a different image and emphasis.
"They are Games run by human beings, competed in by human beings, and subject to all the frailties that go with being human," Messing added.
"I think Pele, when he bowed out of soccer before 77,000 at the Meadowlands this fall, went on television and said the words, 'love, love, love.' I would like to see everyone with the wonderful attitude of Pele."
The invited guests included Yogi Berra, Jack Dempsey, Frank Gifford,

Allie Sherman, Tom Seaver, Rocky Graziano, Kyle Rote, Hank Greenberg and Roy Campanella.
Campanella, the old Brooklyn Dodgers catcher whose life was almost snuffed out in an automobile accident, was wheeled into the ballroom by his male nurse, Morris Rhone, and his wife, attired in gleaming white sequins.
"This is a very nice affair," Campanella commented, "especially in this time when most of us are reading about scandals, feuds, big money and some of the worst features of sports. I don't resent the big money the guys are making today, it's just that I wish they had to work for it the way I did and others did."

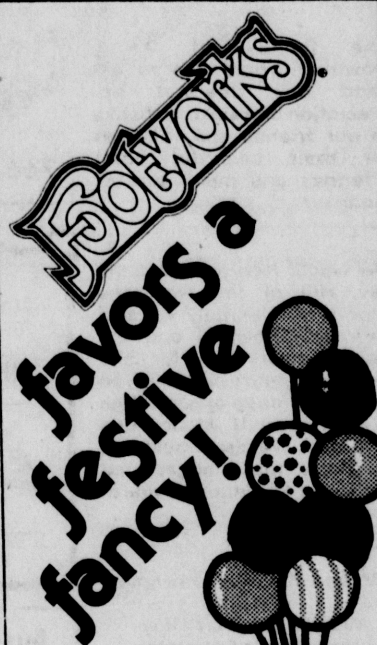
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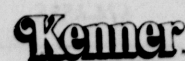


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1. Card of Thanks

The family of Linda Miller wish to express their thanks and gratitude for the flowers, food, and consoling words during the illness and death of our loved one. Special thanks to the Rev. Linda Stafford and Porter Funeral Home. Also a very special thanks to our friends and neighbors for the loving care of Chrissie and Stephanie during this holiday season.

Steve, Chrissie and Stephanie Miller; Steve and Millie Kisela

The Family of Donny Downing would like to extend our deepest appreciation and sincere thanks to our friends and relatives for their beautiful floral offerings and many acts of kindness.

We would like to thank the Rev. Hill of the Nazarene Church for his many visits at Children's Hospital and the many prayers said for him and the comfort he has given to us. Also deep appreciation to Dr. Robert H. McCoy and Ruth Neff. We also would like to thank the kindness and service at Wellman's Funeral Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Downing and Bill
Mr. and Mrs. Terry Roy
Mrs. Minnie Strawser

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to all our friends, relatives and neighbors for the sympathy and kindness shown all of us during the loss of our father and grandfather, William (Bill) Arledge. Special thanks to Rev. David Cyrus and the First Church of Christ in Christian Union, Rev. Steve Benner and the Campus Church. Also the many friends who sent food, cards and flowers.

We also thank Dr. R. McCoy, Wellman Funeral Home, pallbearers, and all who had us in their prayers.

The William Arledge family.

2. Special Notice

NOTICE: If you have not received your Circleville Herald by 6 p.m., then you should call 474-1041. Calls accepted till 4:45 p.m., ONLY. On Saturday between 3:00 and 3:45 p.m. ONLY. SORRY - Motor route customers information will be taken but not delivered till next day.

CIRCLEVILLE Jaycees thank area residents for their support in our Christmas tree sales project. Merry Christmas to all. GRAVE blankets, Christmas trees, straw wreaths, door swags, 388 corner of Monticello and Jefferson, Jefferson Addition. Donald Gatwood, 474-5160.

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FOUND: Pekingese brown male, wearing flea collar but no other identification. Found in front of Ashville Pharmacy, 983-3053.

FOUND: Irish Setter, 474-6630.

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4. Business Service

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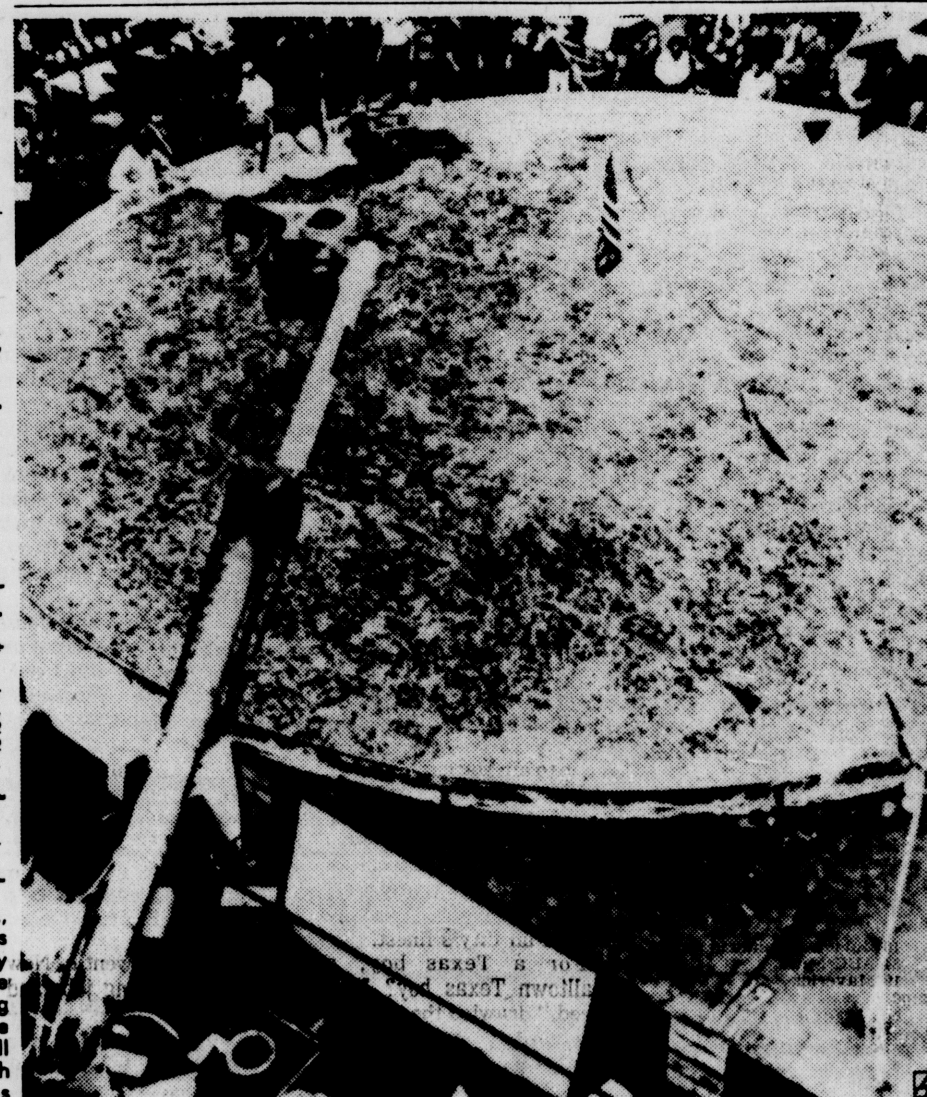
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TWINS SEPARATION - A surgical team, headed by Dr. C. Everett Koop, left, separate Siamese twin girls at Childrens Hospital in Philadelphia. One of the youngsters later died.



IMMENSE PIZZA - Lorenzo Amato sprinkles pepperoni from a cherry picker on a 40-foot, 4,528 pound pizza he baked to publicize the opening of his pizza parlor in Glens Falls, N.Y.

24. Misc. for Sale

3/4" or 1/2" STEEL chain, ratchet binders, jacks and complete set Snap-on tools. 655-2990 after 5:00.

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Pro Football

By The Associated Press
American Football Conference
Eastern Division

Wash 9 5 0 .643 198 189
S Louis 7 7 0 .500 272 287
Phila 5 9 0 .357 220 207
NY Gts 5 9 0 .357 181 285

Central Division
x-Minn 9 5 0 .643 281 227
y-Chgo 9 5 0 .643 255 253
y-Drt 6 8 0 .429 188 243
Gn Bay 4 10 0 .286 184 219
Tpa Bay 2 12 0 .143 108 223

Western Division
x-L.A. 10 4 0 .714 302 146
Atlna 7 7 0 .500 179 129
S Fran 5 9 0 .357 220 262
N Orlns 3 11 0 .214 252 336

x-clinched division title.
y-clinched wild card playoff berth

Saturday's Results
Washington 17, Los Angeles 14
Miami 31, Buffalo 14
Minnesota 30, Detroit 21

Sunday's Results
Chicago 12, New York Giants 9, OT

Houston 21, Cincinnati 16
Atlanta 35, New Orleans 7
Philadelphia 27, New York Jets 0

Tampa Bay 17, St. Louis 7
Green Bay 18, San Francisco 14

Dallas 16, Denver 6
Seattle 20, Cleveland 19

Oakland 21, Kansas City 20
Baltimore 30, New England 24
Pittsburgh 10, San Diego 9

First Round
American Conference
Saturday, Dec. 24
Oakland at Baltimore
Pittsburgh at Denver

National Conference
Monday, Dec. 26
Chicago at Dallas
Minnesota at Los Angeles

Pro Basketball

By The Associated Press
EASTERN CONFERENCE
Atlantic Division

W L Pct. GB
Phila 19 10 .655 -
N York 18 13 .583 3
Buffalo 12 15 .444 6
Boston 10 17 .370 8
N Jersey 7 23 .233 12 1/2

Central Division
Wash 17 11 .607 -
Cleve 16 12 .571 1
S Anton 16 13 .552 1 1/2
Atlanta 15 13 .538 2
N Orlns 12 18 .400 6
Houston 10 17 .370 8 1/2

WESTERN CONFERENCE
Midwest Division
Denver 18 11 .621 -
Chgo 17 11 .607 1/2
Miw 17 14 .548 3 1/2
Ind 12 17 .414 6
Detroit 10 17 .370 7

Pacific Division
Port 22 4 .846 -
Phnix 17 10 .630 5 1/2
Gold St 13 16 .448 10 1/2
Seattle 14 18 .438 11
Los Ang 12 17 .414 11 1/2

Saturday's Results
New York 112, Chicago 103
Philadelphia 129, Cleveland 116

Buffalo 128, Detroit 122, 2 OT
Kansas City 115, New Orleans 93

Phoenix 101, Houston 97
Portland 117, Washington 104

Sunday's Results
Kansas City 118, Indiana 114
Cleveland 101, Golden State 95

Atlanta 134, Phoenix 129, 2 OT
Milwaukee 111, Buffalo 100

Detroit 117, New Orleans 108
Los Angeles 104, Boston 97

Seattle 111, Washington 108, OT
Monday's Games

No games scheduled
Tuesday's Games

Houston at Buffalo
Phoenix at New York
Detroit at San Antonio

Atlanta at Chicago
Washington at Los Angeles
Boston at Portland
Denver at Seattle

Heat Saver

WASHINGTON (AP) - Saving up heat from summer months to use as fuel to warm the house in the winter is the concept behind the Annual Cycle Energy System (ACES) house, the National Geographic Society reports.

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Television Schedule

MONDAY	
4:00	4 Little Rascals 4c-48 Flintstones 6 Merv Griffin 10 Gomer Pyle 20-24 Sesame Street 19 Tom and Jerry
4:30	4 Partridge Family 4c Three Stooges 10 Brady Bunch 19 My Three Sons 48 Little Rascals
5:00	4 My Three Sons 4c Brady Bunch 10 Hogan's Heroes 20-24 Mister Rogers' Neighborhood 19 Star Trek
5:30	4 Odd Couple 4c Andy Griffith 6 News 10 Mary Tyler Moore 20-24 Electric Company 48 New Mickey Mouse Club
6:00	4-10 News 4c Hogan's Heroes 6 ABC News 20-24 Zoom 48 Bewitched
6:30	4 NBC News 4c Odd Couple 6 Carol Burnett and Friends 10 CBS News 20-24 Over Easy 19 Brady Bunch 48 Andy Griffith
7:00	4 Cross Wits 4c Emergency One 6 Liars Club 10 News 24 MacNeil-Lehrer Report 19 Mary Tyler Moore 20 Prime Time 48 Hogan's Heroes
7:30	4 New Truth or Consequences 6 Muppet Show 10 Wild Kingdom 19 Carol Burnett and Friends 20 MacNeil-Lehrer Report 34 Prime Time 48 Hogan's Heroes
8:00	4 Bob Hope 4c Movie "Deadly Ray from Mars" 6 Emergency One 10 Circus of The Stars 20-24 Evening At Symphony 19 Gift of Winter 48 Celebrity Concerts
9:00	4 Movie "Wilma" 6 Liberty Bell 10 Merv Griffin 19 Maude 19 Merv Griffin 48 Movie "Assault on a Queen"
9:30	10 Woody Hayes Pre-Bowl Report 20 Elizabethan Christmas Celebration 34 Age of Uncertainty
10:00	4c New Newlywed Game 10 Switch 20 News
10:30	4c News 19 Cross Wits 20 Farm Digest
11:00	4-10 News 4c Gunsmoke 20-24 Dick Cavett 19 Forever Fernwood
11:30	4 Johnny Carson 10 Movie "A Dandy in Aspic" 34 ABC News 19 Maverick
12:00	4c Movie "Two-Faced Women"
12:30	6 News
1:00	4c FBI 19 Perry Mason
4:00	4 Little Rascals 4c-48 Flintstones 6 Merv Griffin 10 Gomer Pyle 20-24 Sesame Street 19 Tom and Jerry



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sequences	
48 Combat	4c New Newlywed Game
6 Laverne & Shirley	19 Tattletales
4 Laugh-In	4c Merv Griffin
6 Three's Company	10 MASH
10 Merv Griffin	48 Movie "Act One"
9:30	6 Fish
10:00	10 GE Theater
4 NBC Reports	6 Soap
24 Greenpeace	20 News
4-10 News	4c Gunsmoke
20-24 Dick Cavett	19 Forever Fernwood
11:30	4 Johnny Carson
6 Movie "I'm Alive"	10 Movie "I Walk Alone"
34 ABC News	19 Maverick
48 Star Trek	12:00
4c Movie "Tennessee Johnson"	12:30
19 Perry Mason	48 Untouchables
1:00	4 Tomorrow

Your Horoscope

By FRANCIS DRAKE

What kind of day will tomorrow be? To find out what the stars say, read the forecast given for your birth sign.

FOR TUESDAY

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 20): Avoid activities, ideas or people who lean toward the bizarre. Don't let curiosity offset your finer instincts.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 to May 21): A good day for considering future projects; also for developing helpful contacts. Just one admonition: Don't let emotions influence your decisions.

GEMINI (May 22 to June 21): Extravagance in general not recommended, but spending on business entertainment now justified if good will results.

CANCER (June 22 to July 23): From out of the nowhere may come a unique idea. No harm in considering its possibilities: It could lead to a highly interesting experience.

LEO (July 24 to Aug. 23): If you have a problem to solve, wait until early afternoon when influences will be more helpful than in the a.m. Otherwise, you may have to revise your ideas.

VIRGO (Aug. 24 to Sept. 23): The use of an old strategy or piece of advice may be your best stand-by now. Look out for things "off-beat" or out-of-context, however. They could mislead.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 to Oct. 23): Steady does it now. If a plan or strategy is not bringing the results you desire, change maneuvers. Listen to suggestions, but sift well before accepting.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 to Nov. 22): Stress discipline and self-control. This will be a period of sharp competition, so there's no room for self-complacency or lethargy.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 to Dec. 21): While Jupiter, your planet, is in excellent position, you may have to deal with others who are not so lucky. Be understanding, tactful.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20): Finalize pending matters, tie up loose ends, but do not rush anything which requires longer study and more attention.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19): Control emotions. There will be tendencies to exaggerate, to lose temper. Be especially tactful in dealing with business associates.

PISCES (Feb. 20 to Mar. 20): Don't rest on past laurels. You can meet and, in certain areas, surpass competition. Be careful not to press too hard at the wrong time, however.

YOU BORN TODAY are highly intelligent and creative, progressive in your ideas and methods, and keenly analytical and logical in your reasoning. You have a gift for healing and would make an outstanding physician — in both the physical and mental fields.

You have a deep religious streak too, and while many other Sagittarians use their innate gift of words as an avenue to success in the writing or legal professions, you may choose to use yours in the pulpit or as an educator or lecturer. Music or poetry, which you may pursue avocationally, will be highly inspirational and moving.

In it, he plays a marine biologist on an island terrorized by once-tame dogs who've banded together and gone wild. While making his NBC movie, he went back to New York for location work. It's his first trip there since his discouraged departure in 1965.

"The city's not all that different," he said. "It might be a little dirtier, a little weirder, but not all that different."

"It was sort of nice, though, to stay in a real good hotel on Central Park South and be able to afford taxis..."

HUBERT



Tiger



Flash Gordon



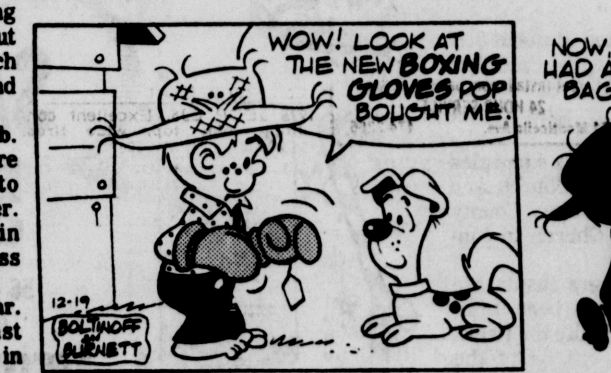
Sam and Silo



Blondie



Nubbin



Donald Duck



Beetle Bailey



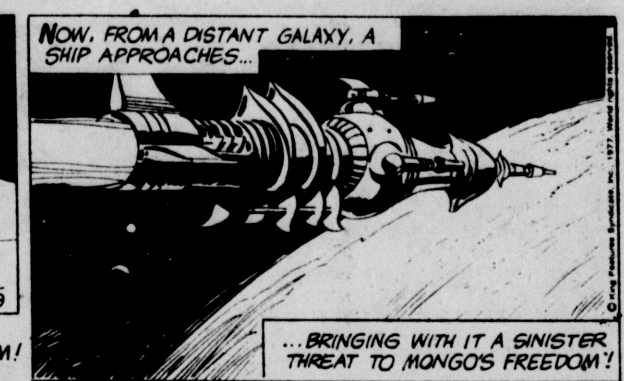
The Heart Of Juliet Jones



Mr. Abernathy



by Barry & Fujitani



by Jerry Dumas and Mort Walker



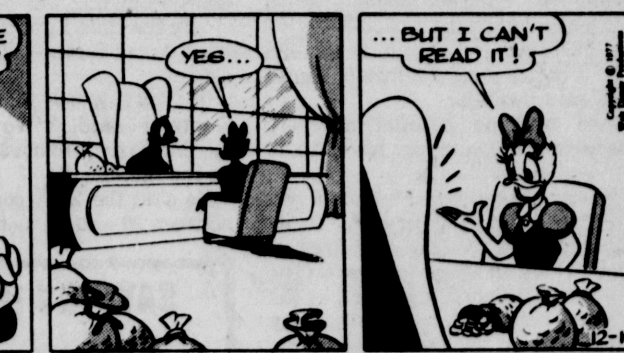
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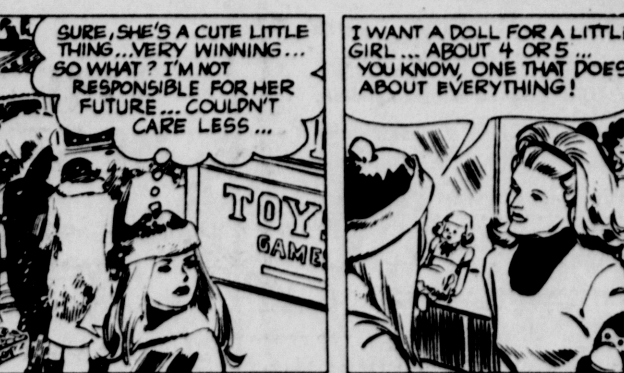
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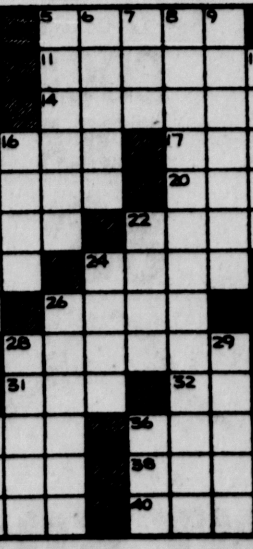
by THOMAS JOSEPH

- ACROSS**
- 1 Run-soaked cake
 - 5 Religious pamphlet
 - 11 Longings
 - 13 Move sideways
 - 14 Turkish hostility
 - 15 Greedy guy
 - 16 "Johnny — Note"
 - 17 Chemical suffix
 - 18 Defrusted
 - 20 Get it?
 - 21 Tyke's Yule gift
 - 22 — lively!
 - 23 Crucifix
 - 24 CB'er's cousin
 - 25 On the inboard side
 - 26 Informal farewell
 - 27 Belgian town
 - 28 Least fond
 - 29 Ore — noble
 - 31 Before
 - 32 Suit — tee: 2 wds.
 - 34 Bullet
 - 36 Irish island
 - 37 Test for horses
 - 38 What's left
- DOWN**
- 2 See 2 Down
 - 3 Swinging party
 - 4 Apportion
 - 6 Yule "hall decks": 3 wds.
 - 7 Go — over
 - 8 Laced
 - 9 Frost-coated
 - 10 Sly — fox: 2 wds.
 - 12 Yule purchase: 2 wds.
 - 14 Gridiron scores
 - 15 Precipitation
 - 16 Had debts
 - 17 "Little Things Mean —"
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 - 25 Make irritable
 - 26 Cheers or protest
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Saturday's Answer

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DAILY CRYPTOQUOTE — Here's how to work it: AXYDLBAAXE LONGFELLOW

One letter simply stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.

CRYPTOQUOTES

CNLA JND MVQL NWQL WRR
CNVSMH. CNLA JND JVCNDR
NWQL SDCNVSM. — NVSTB ZGDQLGX

Saturday's Cryptoglyph: AMBITION IS SO POWERFUL A PASSION IN THE HUMAN BREAST THAT HOWEVER HIGH WE REACH WE ARE NEVER SATISFIED. — MACHIAVELLI

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CONTEST WINNER — Donald J. Cook, Stella Ave., is pictured above accepting congratulations from Drummer Boy Fried Chicken's Circleville Store manager Rick Weaver, after Cook was announced as the local winner of the "Christmas Party for 25

People" contest sponsored by the local restaurant. As winner of the contest, Cook will receive a "Country Banquet" holiday meal for 25 people. The dinner will include Drummer Boy Fried Chicken with all the trimmings.

3 Whites Held For Burning Black Churches In Georgia

WASHINGTON, Ga. (AP) — Three white teen-agers are being held in connection with fires that broke out within minutes of each other and gutted four black churches in rural east Georgia.

The wooden frame churches were unoccupied and there were no injuries in the blazes Sunday night.

"The fires were all within 20 miles and all in the same direction," Wilkes County Sheriff Cecil Moore said. "They started from the east out of

Police Remain

Off Job In

Washington C. H.

WASHINGTON COURT HOUSE, Ohio (AP) — Police remained off the job today, with the city's 12 uniformed and six non-uniformed officers calling in sick for the fourth day.

Chief Rodman Scott said he was the only regular police officer on duty. "From the captain on down, they're all calling in sick," Scott said. Fayette County sheriff's deputies continued to handle emergency calls.

The chief said the central Ohio city of 12,500 was bustling over the weekend with Christmas shoppers, but Scott said there were no major problems. "It was an exceptionally quiet weekend," he said.

Meanwhile, there was no progress in settling the contract dispute which apparently led to the sickout.

"We'll have to look at it day-by-day," City Council Chairman James Ward said Sunday.

Ward said no negotiations were scheduled and "we really haven't had any negotiations."

The city council failed to vote a pay raise for police and firemen at its Thursday night meeting, but firemen voted Friday morning to stay on the job after the council promised, in the form of a resolution, to provide a pay adjustment for the uniformed forces no later than Dec. 28.

Last November, firemen were involved in a three-day sick-out to protest the city's lack of action in providing a pay increase.

Tarleton Senior

Citizens To Meet

The Tarleton Senior Citizens Club will hold a carryin dinner Tuesday. The meeting of the club will begin at 10 a.m. in the Community Building.

The Rev. David Pettersen will be the speaker.

Lincoln County and went west into Wilkes County).

Moore said there has been no trouble between blacks and whites in the area.

Albert Rucker, a deacon of the Mulberry Baptist Church, said that the burning of his and three other churches had nothing to do with race.

"It had none whatsoever to do with that," he said. "It's the same reason other things happen in the world. There was just no point in it."

The Georgia Bureau of Investigation and state fire marshal's office reportedly were investigating.

The suspects, unidentified because they are juveniles, were all about 16 years old, Moore said. All are from Lincoln County and were arrested there.

Moore said the youths had "been drinking — that's all."

The first blaze erupted at about 8:30 p.m. EST at Mt. Zion Baptist Church in Lincoln County, and fires started minutes later in the other three churches, Moore said.

The other churches were identified as the Mulberry Baptist Church and Zora CME Church in Wilkes County and the Antioch CME Church in Lincoln County.

Moore said gas heaters inside the churches apparently had been tampered with and used to ignite the fires.

Barner Gartrell, an official of the Zora church, said he received a call about 9 p.m. that the 90-year-old church building was on fire.

"By the time I got there 10 minutes later it was burned to the ground," he said.

"I don't know if we'll rebuild," Gartrell said. "We haven't got anything except about \$3,000 insurance on the building."

He said the Zora congregation has between 20 and 30 members.

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MISS JOSLYN

Mr. and Mrs. Jay W. Joslyn, (Deborah Lutz), 1850 Shoshoni Drive, are the parents of a 7-pound, 7-ounce daughter born 8:20 p.m., Sunday in Berger Hospital.

MISS COX

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Cox, (Beverly Zwicker), Ashville, are the parents of a 7-pound, 9-ounce daughter born 9:19 p.m., Saturday in Berger Hospital.

MASTER CUPP

Mr. and Mrs. Paul M. Cupp, (Janet Aldenderfer), Ashville are the parents of a 6-pound, 7-ounce son born Sunday in Berger Hospital.

MASTER RHOADES

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rhoades, (Kim Butcher), Route 3, are the parents of a 8-pound, 1-ounce son born 1:18 p.m., Sunday in Berger Hospital.

MASTER WRIGHT

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wright, (Susie Chaffin) are the parents of a 6 pound, 14 ounce son born 2:26 a.m. Saturday at St. Ann's Hospital in Columbus.

Winter Workshop Planned For Classroom Teaching

COLUMBUS — Ohio educators interested in learning how to use the winter environment as a teaching aid will want to attend a workshop Jan. 23-25 at the Lutheran Memorial Camp in Fulton in Morrow County.

Sponsored by the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, in cooperation with the Lutheran Memorial Camp, the workshop is designed to familiarize teachers, group leaders and interested persons with teaching methods and techniques useful for the classroom, field studies and outdoor programs.

The workshop program will stress thinking skills, concept understanding, awareness and clarification of values. There will be discussions on conducting outdoor activities during the winter and the advantages unique to the winter season.

The workshop will begin 6:30 p.m. Jan. 23 with registration, followed by orientation and a panel discussion on hypothermia, winter activities for

children and equipment and clothing needed for winter outdoor recreation.

Tuesday's program will introduce participants to a night hike, winter games, winter exploration and winter acclimatization.

The workshop will conclude 2 p.m. Jan. 25.

A registration fee includes the cost of the workshop, food, lodging and handout materials. Participants must bring their own bedding and personal items.

Deadline for registration is Jan. 15.

Lutheran Memorial Camp is located six miles north of I-71 on State Route 61.

More information and a registration form may be obtained from the Environmental Education Section, Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Fountain Square, Columbus 43224 or phone (614) 466-5884.

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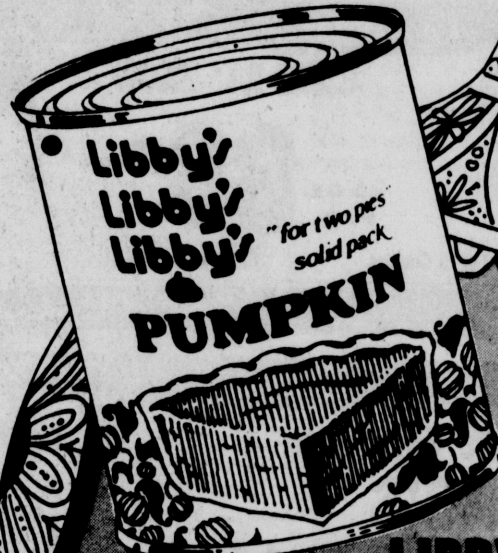
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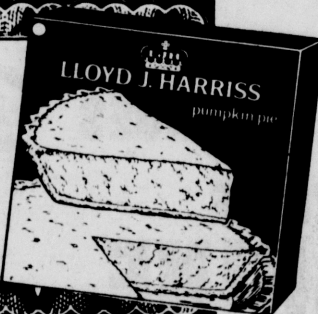
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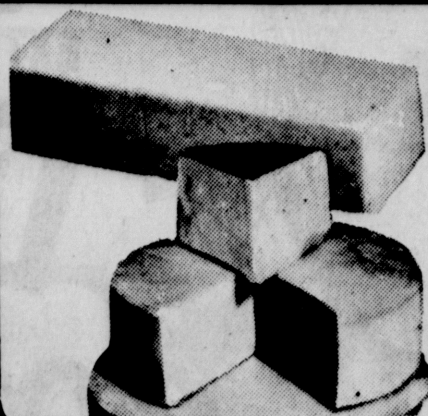
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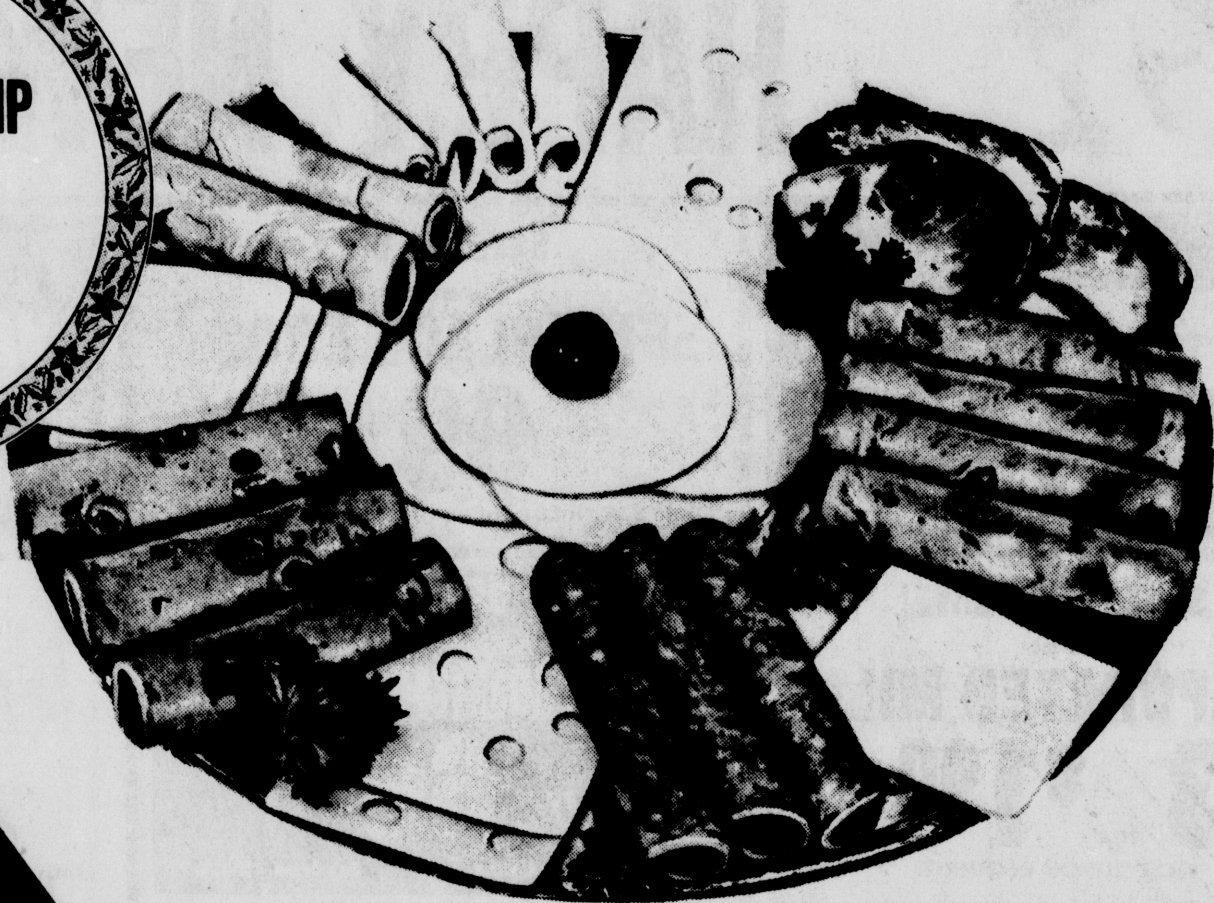
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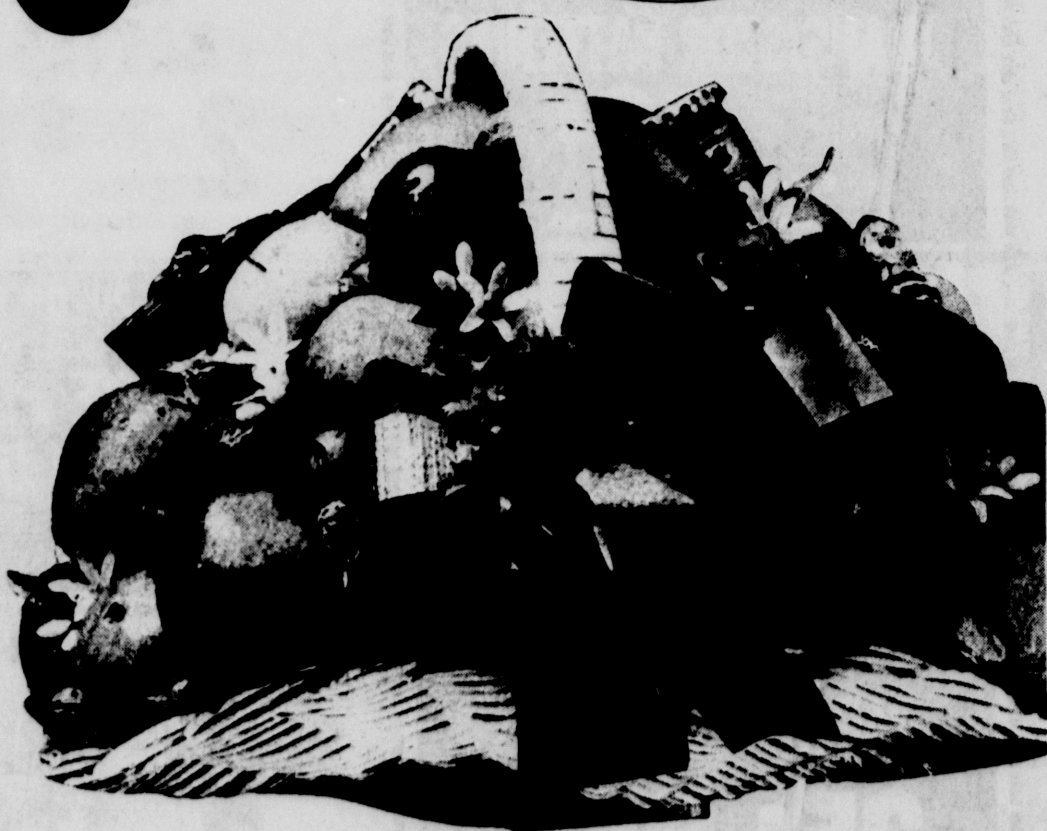
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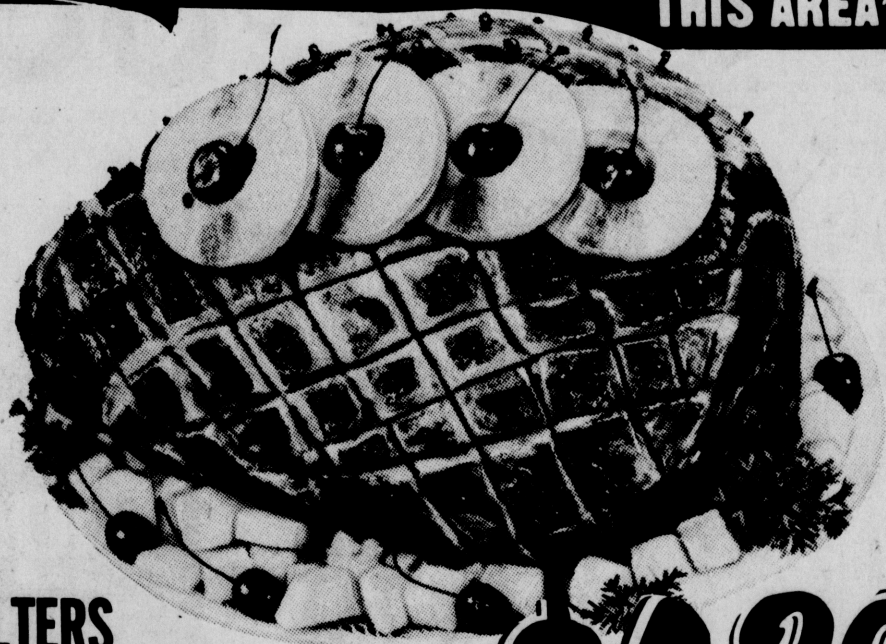
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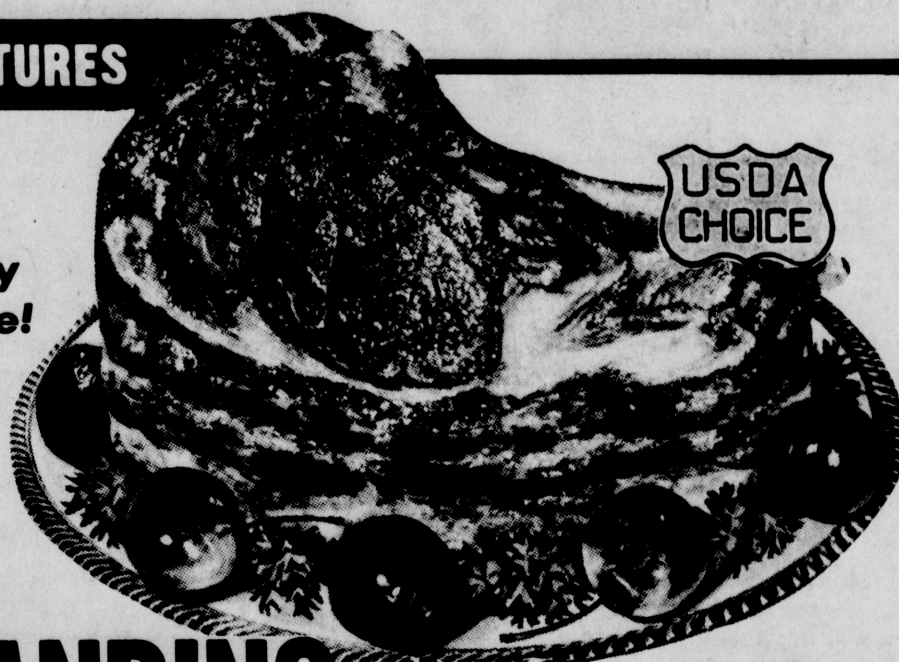


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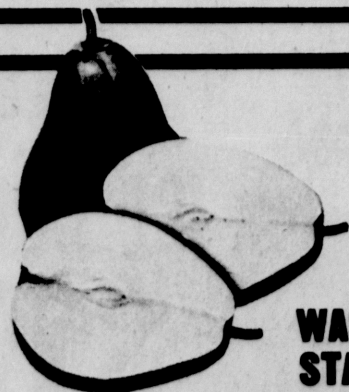
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Jim's Super Duper

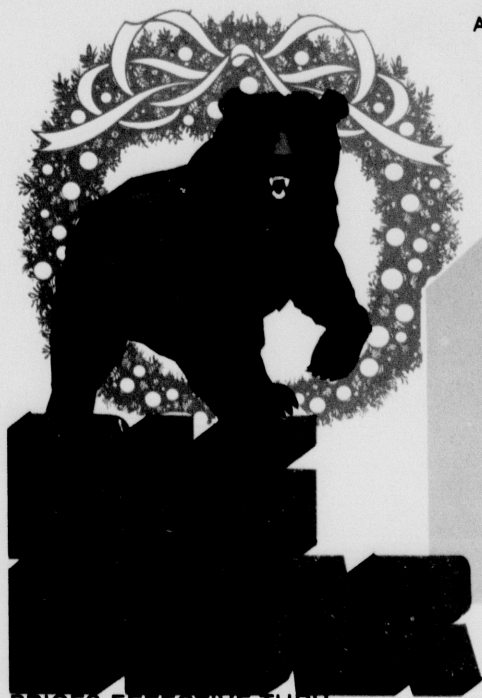
SAVE 50°
Folger's
COFFEE
\$2.79
1-lb. Can
Limit 1 With Coupon and \$5.00 Purchase
Jim's Super Duper Exp. 12-24-77

SAVE 50°
For Holiday Baking
CRISCO
\$1.29
3-lb. Can
Limit 1 With Coupon and \$10.00 Purchase
Jim's Super Duper Exp. 12-24-77

SAVE 34°
German Village
NOODLES
4 8oz. Pkgs. \$1.00
NO COUPON - NO LIMIT

SAVE 50°
Borden's Elsie
ICE CREAM
\$1.09
1/2 Gal. Carton
NO COUPON REQUIRED

SAVE 30° - Grade A
EXTRA LARGE EGGS
69¢
Dozen
NO COUPON - NO LIMIT



PRICES EFFECTIVE THRU SATURDAY, DEC. 24, 1977 AT CIRCLEVILLE, NEWARK, LANCASTER, CHILLICOTHE, ZANESVILLE AND FRANKLIN COUNTY STORES ONLY.

Christmas Specials

...say Merry Christmas

Special Holiday Hours

Open Christmas Eve 'til 6 P.M.
Closed Christmas Day
Open Monday Dec. 26, 9 A.M. to 8 P.M.
Regular Hours: Monday thru Sat 8 am to 11 pm,
Sunday 9 am to 8 pm



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WE REDEEM FEDERAL FOOD STAMPS



Marhofer's... Really Good Ham for Christmas

Semi-Boneless Ham \$1.19

Whole,
Either End Portion
Or Bone-In Quarter

LB.

Harvest Brand
Semi-Boneless
Little Pig Hams
10 to 14 lbs.

Whole \$1.49 LB.

Half Ham . . . \$1.59 LB.

Half Ham \$1.29 LB.
Boneless Quarter Easy to Slice \$1.59 LB.
Ham Roasts Thick Center Cuts. \$1.59 LB.
Ham Steaks Thin Center Slices. \$1.69 LB.

Roast Rite
Brand

•U.S. GOV'T INSPECTED TO INSURE WHOLESOMENESS
•FLASH FROZEN •ALL YOUNG BIRDS •READY TO COOK
•BASTING DONE WITH LOW CALORIE TURKEY BROTH

Self-Basting Turkeys

Limit 1 with Additional
Purchase of \$10 or More
16 lbs. and Up



Without Additional
Purchase \$1.57 LB.

10 to 16 lbs. LB. 59¢

49¢ LB.

There's No Turkey Taste
Like Fresh Turkey Taste

These young, cleanly dressed turkeys are individually packed in a vacuum bag to preserve the finest in fresh turkey taste - the POP-UP Cooking Gauge insures a perfectly cooked turkey every time.

Big Bear's Strictly Fresh U.S. Gov't Grade "A"

Fresh Turkeys 79¢

16 lbs. and Up LB.

Every Turkey with "Pop-Up" Cooking Gauge . . 10 to 18 lbs. LB. 83¢



Big Bear's Own Flash Frozen, U.S. Grade "A" Regular

Top Frost Turkeys 16 lbs. and Up LB. 63¢
10 to 16 lbs. LB. 59¢

When you do your holiday shopping at Big Bear, you will find one of the largest selections of poultry in town. You can choose from the following turkey brands or any of the many items available for your Christmas Dinner:

SWIFT BUTTERBALL TURKEYS - GRADE "A"
ARMOUR BUTTER-BASTING TURKEYS
HONEYSUCKLE TURKEYS

Norbest "Tend'r Timed"

Hen Turkeys 10 to 16 lbs. LB. 69¢

Every Turkey with "Pop-Up" Cooking Gauge. Jr. Size 5-10 lbs. LB. 73¢

U.S.D.A. Choice Tender Fed Beef Vacu-Aged Naturally for Flavor and Tenderness

Standing Rib Roast

"For a Dinner
Fit for a King"

\$1.59 LB.
Up to 4 Ribs
Off Large End

Any Size Off
Small End \$1.99 LB.

20 lb. Average NO INDIVIDUAL PACKAGING OF CUTS.
Whole Beef Ribs \$1.49 LB.
WE WILL BE GLAD TO CUT THEM TO YOUR SPECIFICATIONS FREE!

Beef Rib Steaks Large End
Rib Steaks \$1.79 LB.

Beef Rib Steak Small End
Boneless Club Steaks \$2.09 LB.

Beef Center Rib Steaks, Boneless
Boneless Rib Steaks \$2.79 LB.

All Meat and 50% Leaner than Regular Bacon
Swift Premium Sizzlean 12 oz. Pkg. \$1.19 LB.

Limit 2 Packages with Coupon on Page 2

An Unusual Gift - Whole Stick in a Gift Box

Swift Premium Hard Salami 5 lb. Average \$1.79 LB. Cut Pieces \$1.89 LB.

Holly Farms U.S. Gov't Grade "A" Fresh

Roasting Chickens 3-4 lbs. 59¢ LB.

Holly Farms U.S. Gov't Grade "A" Fresh

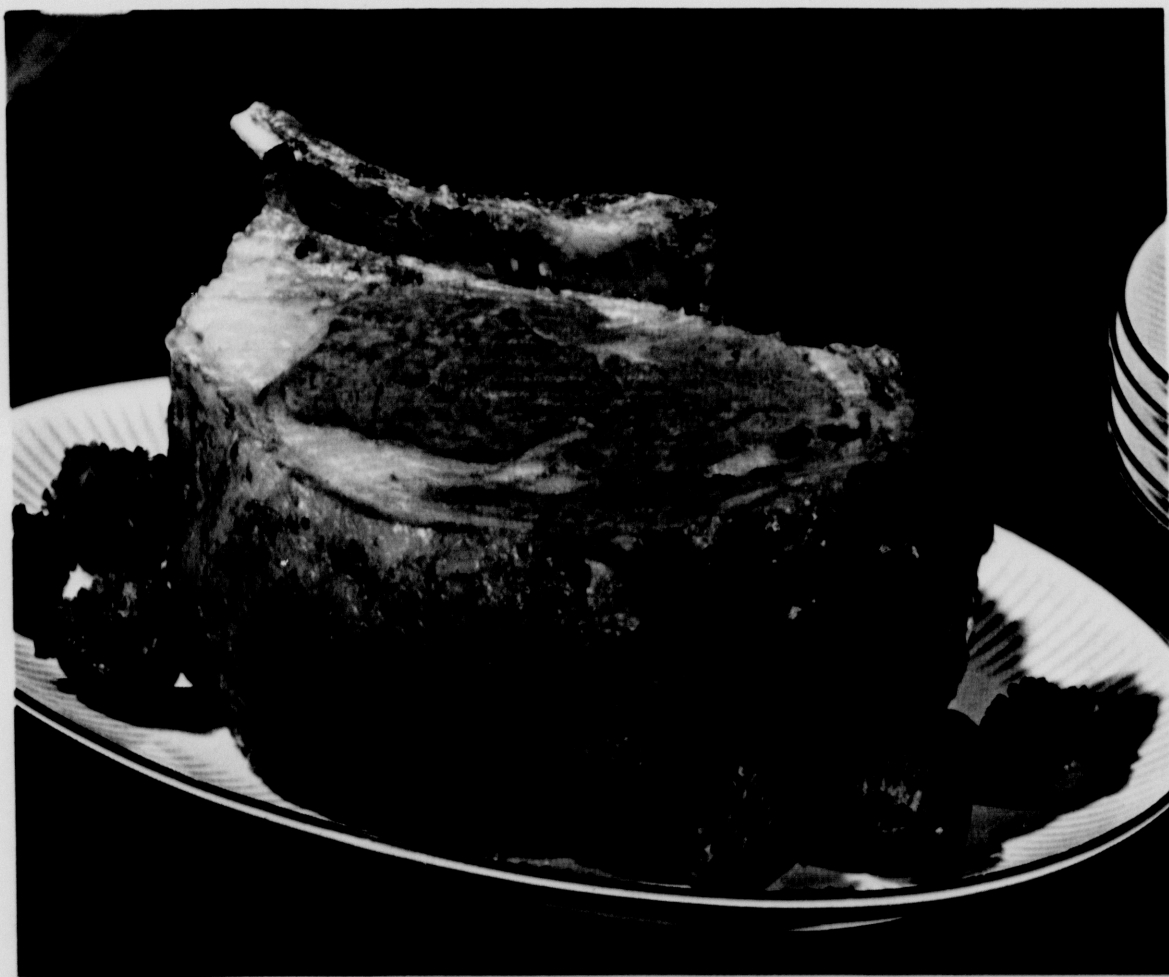
Roasting Chickens 5-8 lbs. 89¢ LB.

Swift Premium Flash Frozen

Capons U.S. Grade "A" 6 to 7 lbs. \$1.09 LB.

Top Frost U.S. Grade "A"

Ducklings 4 to 5 lbs. 89¢ LB.



Betty Brown Baked Goods Specials

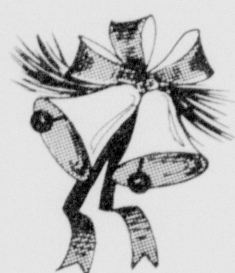
FREE 16 oz. Loaf
Betty Brown Enriched White Bread
 With Coupon On Back Page

Betty Brown GREAT HOLIDAY SNACK
Date Nut Bread 16 oz. Loaf **89¢**

Betty Brown A CHRISTMAS TRADITION
Holiday Stollen 12 oz. Size **89¢**

Betty Brown TO TREAT YOUR FRIENDS
Hamburger Buns Pkg. of 12 **59¢**

Golden Hearth GREAT PARTY SANDWICHES
Cocktail Rye 16 oz. Loaf **69¢**



Everything you need
 to make your
 Holidays Festive

Christmas Specials

Special Holiday Hours
 Open Christmas Eve 'til 8 P.M.
 Closed Christmas Day
 Open Monday Dec. 25, 9 A.M. to 8 P.M.
 Regular Hours: Monday thru Sat 8 am to 11 pm
 Sunday 9 am to 8 pm

FOOD CLUB SWEET CUCUMBER
Pickle Chips . . . 16 oz. Jar **49¢**

FOOD CLUB
Cranberry Cocktail 32 oz. Btl. **59¢**

BUCKEYE REGULAR OR WAVY
Potato Chips 8 oz. Twin-Pak **65¢**

PLANTER'S
Cocktail Peanuts 12 oz. Can **98¢**

Your Choice
3 For \$1.00

Freshlike Veg-All 16 oz. Can
Apple or Grape Jelly 10 oz. Jar
Orange Marmalade 10 oz. Jar
Grape Jam 10 oz. Jar

Freshlike Brand Fixin's
3 cans 89¢

WHOLE BEETS 14 oz. Can
 CREAM STYLE OR WHOLE KERNEL **Golden Corn** 12 oz. Can
 CUT LEAF **Spinach** 12 1/2 oz. Can
 CUT OR FRENCH STYLE **Green Beans** 13 oz. Can
 GARDEN **Sweet Peas** 14 1/2 oz. Can

FOOD CLUB - HALVES OR SLICED
Cling Peaches 29 oz. Can

2 for \$1.00

SLICED, CHUNK OR CRUSHED - IN SYRUP
Dole Pineapple 20 oz. Can

FOOD CLUB -
Fruit Cocktail 30 oz. Can **59¢**

FOOD CLUB
All Purpose Crackers 11 oz. Box **49¢**

ARMOUR'S
Treet Luncheon Meat 12 oz. Can **88¢**

WAGNER
Fruit Drinks Qt. Bottle **39¢**

BLEACHED
Gold Medal Flour 5-lb. Bag **69¢**

INSTANT
Maxwell House Coffee 10 oz. Jar **\$4.39**

FOOD CLUB
Potato Sticks 7 oz. Can **69¢**



Coca Cola or Sprite

16 oz. Btls.
 8 Btl. Ctn. **98¢**

Plus Deposit

Keep Your Family Safe
 Universal
Smoke Signal

with each \$10 purchase...
 Take advantage of this opportunity to provide "sound" security for your family...shop Big Bear today for the Universal Smoke Signal®. Designed with your Family's Protection in mind.

19.99

\$24.99 without additional purchase

Holiday Shrimp Sale

Green Headless 40-50 and 50-60 per lb. 5 lb. Box **\$14.95**
Cleaned, Peeled Top Frost Brand 1 1/2 lb. Bag **\$7.98**
Cleaned, Peeled Gulf Princess Pink 26-30 per lb. 1 1/2 lb. Bag **\$9.98**
Cooked Cocktail Size Brilliant Brand 10 oz. Bag **\$3.49**
Cooked Salad Size Gaylord Brand 8 oz. Bag **\$1.49**

Your Coupon Bonanza for Christmas...you can always save at your Big Bear Store

Betty Brown Party Flake or Cloverleaf
Brown 'n Serve Rolls
2 Pkgs. of 12 79¢
 Limit 2 bags-With coupon-Per customer
 Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

GROcery 8
3 Mil Thickness Glad Trash Bags
8 Count Package \$1.29
 Limit 1 pkg.-With coupon-Per customer
 Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

GROcery 11
Topco Liquid Detergent
22 oz. Bottle 49¢
 Limit 1 bottle-With coupon-Per customer
 Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

GROcery 14
50% Leaner than Regular Bacon Swift's Sizzlean
12 oz. Package \$1.19
 Limit 2 pkgs.-With coupon-Per customer
 Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

GROcery 9
Heinz Brand Bloody Mary Mix
5 1/2 oz. Cans 6-Pak Ctn. 89¢
 Limit 1 carton-With coupon-Per customer
 Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

GROcery 12
Aren't You Glad You Use Dial Bath Soap
5 oz. Bars \$1.00
 Limit 4 bars-With coupon-Per customer
 Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

GROcery 7
Crispy, Crunchy Frito Corn Chips
12 oz. Package 69¢
 Limit 1 pkg.-With coupon-Per customer
 Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

GROcery 10
Kosher Spears Vlasic Pickles
24 oz. Jar 69¢
 Limit 1 jar-With coupon-Per customer
 Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

GROcery 13
Buy 3 Packages of Durkee's Spices or Extracts
50¢ OFF with this coupon
 Limit 3 pkgs.-With coupon-Per customer
 Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

Dairy Department Specials

Borden's Fresh Egg Nog Qt. Ctn. **69¢**

Wisconsin Sharp Wed-Cut Cheddar Cheese lb. **\$1.79**

Food Club Half & Half Pint Ctn. **49¢**

PHILADELPHIA BRAND Cream Cheese 8 oz. Pkg. **53¢**

FOOD CLUB Sour Cream 16 oz. Ctn. **59¢**

FOOD CLUB Sharp Cheese 10 oz. Stick **98¢**

SARGENTO CRUMBLED Blue Cheese 4 oz. Pkg. **59¢**

TROPICANA Orange Juice 1/2 Gal. Ctn. **98¢**

Ban Roll-On Deodorant **88¢**

Scented, Unscented, Quick Dry . . . 1 1/2 oz. Btl.

GILLETTE Trac II Blades Pkg. of 9 **\$1.57**

EXTRA ABSORBENT - DAYTIME Pampers Diapers Box of 24 **\$2.17**

JOHNSON'S Baby Lotion 9 oz. Btl. **\$1.23**

TASTY, MEATY Chef Boy-Ar-Dee Ravioli 15 oz. Can **49¢**

TOPCO REGULAR Aluminum Foil 75 sq. ft. Roll **88¢**

SEVEN SEAS Creamy Italian Dressing 8 oz. Btl. **55¢**

KRAFT French Dressing 8 oz. Btl. **49¢**

FOR PANCAKES Log Cabin Syrup 36 oz. Btl. **\$1.59**

ABSORBENT Gala Dinner Napkins 50 ct. Pkg. **49¢**





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Enjoy Our
**Christmas
Specials**
...in Produce

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Prices Effective thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

Use these Money Saving Big Bear Coupons

Double Buckeye Stamps
with this coupon and
purchase of \$7⁵⁰ or more
(Excluding Beer, Wine or Cigarettes)

Limit 1 coupon Per customer
Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

\$

Maxwell House Coffee
1 lb. Can **\$2⁶⁹**

WITH COUPON AND
\$10 PURCHASE
(EXCLUDING BEER,
WINE & CIGARETTES)

Limit 1 can-With coupon-Per customer
Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

Scot Towels
119 Ct. Jumbo Roll **48^c**

Limit 1 roll-With coupon-Per customer
Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

Top Frost Whipped Topping
9 oz. Tub **37^c**

Limit 1 tub-With coupon-Per customer
Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

Mrs. Filberts Margarine
4 Quarters 1 lb. Carton **39^c**

Limit 1 carton-With coupon-Per customer
Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

Enriched White Bread
16 oz. Loaf **FREE**

WITH COUPON AND
\$10 PURCHASE
(EXCLUDING BEER,
WINE & CIGARETTES)

Limit 1 free loaf-With coupon-Per customer
Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

Extra Fancy
In Shell
Mixed Nuts
LB. **99^c**
Bulk

Holiday Special
California Navel
Oranges
10 for **\$1⁰⁰**
BULK - 88 SIZE



Extra Fancy - Washington State
Red or Golden Delicious
Apples
6 for **\$1⁰⁰**
BULK - 100 SIZE

A Great Gift Item
Tempting Top Fresh Fancy Fruit
Fruit Baskets
\$5⁹⁸
and Up
Holiday Fruit Trays.....each \$2⁰⁰

HOLIDAY FAVORITE - SWEET & JUICY
California Red Grapes LB. **59^c**

FESTIVE FRUIT FOR CHRISTMAS
Top Fresh Bananas 4 lbs. for **\$1⁰⁰**

EXTRA FANCY - BULK
Washington State D'Anjou Pears 135 Size 8 for **\$1⁰⁰**

EASY PEEL - SWEET AND JUICY
Tangelos 5 Lb. Bag **\$1¹⁹**

BIG BEAR BRAND - SHELLLED Pecan Halves
8 oz. Bag **\$1⁷⁹**

Limit 1 bag-With coupon-Per customer
Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

BIG BEAR BRAND In-Shell Nuts
1 lb. Bag **20^c OFF** ANY VARIETY

Limit 2 pkgs.-With coupon-Per customer
Valid thru Sat., Dec. 24, 1977

Give FOOD this Christmas



Big Bear Gift Certificates
For \$5, \$10, \$20
Available at Any Big Bear Store
See Your Big Bear Store Manager

FREE

One 14 oz. can
Kal-Kan
Dog Food



when you buy your Dog License
at a Big Bear Store
Not valid in Newark, Chillicothe, or Circleville

Supplement to

Albany Messenger
Baltimore Evening
Butler's Telegraph
Cincinnati Enquirer
Cleveland Plain Dealer
Columbus Dispatch
Dayton Daily News
Detroit Free Press
Indianapolis Star
Jacksonville Journal
Kansas City Star
Los Angeles Times
Miami Herald
Minneapolis Star
New York Times
Oklahoma City
Omaha World-Herald
Philadelphia Inquirer
Pittsburgh Courier
Portland Oregonian
Rochester Post-Journal
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
St. Paul Dispatch
Tampa Tribune
Washington Post
Wichita Eagle

Albany Messenger
Baltimore Evening
Butler's Telegraph
Cincinnati Enquirer
Cleveland Plain Dealer
Columbus Dispatch
Dayton Daily News
Detroit Free Press
Indianapolis Star
Jacksonville Journal
Kansas City Star
Los Angeles Times
Miami Herald
Minneapolis Star
New York Times
Oklahoma City
Omaha World-Herald
Philadelphia Inquirer
Pittsburgh Courier
Portland Oregonian
Rochester Post-Journal
St. Louis Post-Dispatch
St. Paul Dispatch
Tampa Tribune
Washington Post
Wichita Eagle



**MERRY
CHRISTMAS**

From All of Us
At Kroger!

Luscious Sugar Sweet
California Red

**EMPEROR
GRAPES**

Pound

8-Pak, 16-oz. Bottles
Tab or

Coca-Cola

OR
Regular or Diet

7up

**The
Uncola**



MINI-MIZER
SPECIAL COUPON

Dozen
Carton

With coupon and
\$10 purchase
of participating items
only. See store for details.



MINI-MIZER
SPECIAL COUPON

5
Pound
Bag

With coupon and
\$10 purchase
of participating items
only. See store for details.



MINI-MIZER
SPECIAL COUPON

1-lb.
Package

With coupon and
\$10 purchase
of participating items
only. See store for details.



Springdale

**Homogenized
MILK**

Gallon
Carton



MINI-MIZER
SPECIAL COUPON

1-lb.
Can

With coupon and
\$10 purchase
of participating items
only. See store for details.

Quarter Pork Loin
Sliced Into

**Silver Platter
Pork Chops**

Pound



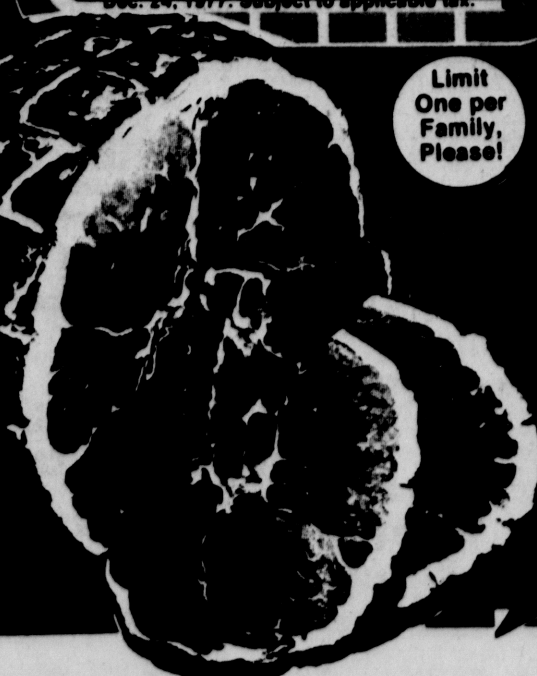
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effective at
Circleville Kroger
Store Only.



**Merry
Christmas**

from all of us at Kroger!

Shop early for the holidays and check to see if you have plenty of milk and bread for the long weekend, so that our employees can enjoy the holiday too!



Limit
One per
Family.
Please!

Fully Cooked—Whole
(14 to 17 lb. Avg.)

**Semi-Boneless
HAM**

Pound

\$1.18



HO! HO! HO! We're helping SANTA make this your best Christmas ever!

Quarter Pork Loin
Sliced Into

**Silver Platter
Pork Chops**

Pound

U.S. Govt. Inspected
Medallion Frozen (16lb. and Larger)

**YOUNG TOM
TURKEY**

Pound

Fully Cooked
Whole (13-15 Lb. Avg.)

**BONELESS
HAM**

Pound

Fully Cooked
Whole (14-17 Lb. Avg.)

**Semi-Boneless
HAM**

Pound

Limit One Per Family, Please!

Shenandoah U.S.D.A.
Grade "A" (10 lbs. and Larger)

**Fresh Young
TURKEY**

Pound

**TURKEY
Headquarters**

Frozen U.S.D.A. Grade "A" (16-lb. and Larger)

**Butterball
TURKEY**

Pound **79¢**

Frozen U.S.D.A. Grade "A" (10-lb. and Larger)

**Wishbone
Tom Turkey**

Pound **69¢**

U.S.D.A. Grade "A" Fresh Half

**TURKEY
BREAST**

Pound **1.39**

Strictly
Fresh
Never
Frozen!

Best from Shenandoah

We know there are the gentlest, tenderest, most flavorful holiday turkeys. Our birds are hand-picked every day to keep natural freshness locked in even as it permits flavor to improve naturally. And the beauty of these fresh whole turkeys is that they are rushed to your nearest Kroger Store within hours of leaving the farm. We assure you that Shenandoah is at your side with the finest fresh turkeys available anywhere.

Naturally these fresh turkeys retain all the farm-fresh taste, flavor and goodness inherent in their special breeding. No chemicals or preservatives of any kind are added to the Shenandoah fresh young turkey.

**FROZEN SHRIMP
SALE!**

10-oz. Pkg. **\$3.29**
20-oz. Pkg. **\$6.29**
16-50 Count **\$5.99**

Frozen Legs and Claws

**ALASKAN
CRAB**

1-lb. **\$1.99**

Brown & Serve

Swift Sausage

8-oz. Pkg. **89¢**

Oscar Mayer Cocktail Wieners or bulk

Little Smokies

1-lb. **\$1.99**

Swift Sizzlean

12-oz. Pkg. **\$1.99**

Old Fashion Brand Flat Whole
Boneless Ham

1-lb. Pkg. **\$2.99**

Kroger Meat or Beef

Jumbo Wieners

1-lb. Pkg. **98¢**

Govt. Graded
Beef (1 to 5 Rib)

**U.S. Choice
RIB ROAST**

Pound

**FRYER
BREASTS**

Pound

Old Village
Smoked Sausage or
**POLSKA
Kielbassa**

Pound

Vanilla or
Chocolate Marble
**Polar Pak
Ice Cream**

Half
Gallon
Carton

All Flavors
**HAWAIIAN
PUNCH**

44-oz.
Can

WE HAVE WHAT WE ADVERTISE. If at all possible, if, due to conditions beyond our control we run out of an advertised special we substitute a comparable brand at a similar price savings or give you a rain check for the advertised special at the special price anytime within 30 days. WE GUARANTEE WHAT WE SELL. If you are ever dissatisfied with a Kroger purchase we will replace your item or refund your money.



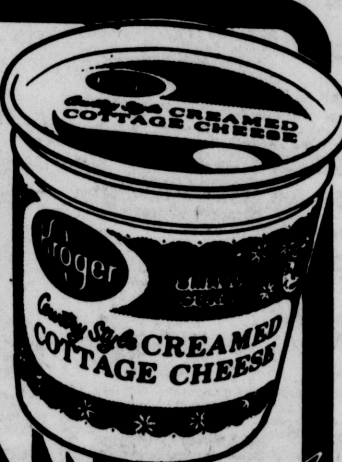
**Holiday!
HAM SALE!**

Oscar Mayer
Canned Ham 5-lb. **\$12.99**
West Virginia Brand Semi-Boneless
Half Ham 10-lb. **\$19.99**
Whole Boneless Dinner Ham or
Kahn's Ham 10-lb. **\$22.99**

Country Club
**CANNED
HAM**

Pound
Can

Cheeses, egg nog, dips,
half & half, whipping
cream, cookies, muffins
and more... all at Low
Mini-Mizer Prices during
our **GIANT HOLIDAY
DAIRY SALE!**



**COTTAGE
CHEESE**

1 1/2-lb.
Carton

**CRESCENT
ROLLS**

8-oz.
Tube



Ricotta Cheese 15-oz. Ch. **89¢**
B.K. Kroger (All Varieties)
Cheddar Stick 10-oz. Pkg. **\$1.09**
Kroger Refrigerated Chocolate Chip or
Sugar Cookies 12-oz. Pkg. **79¢**
English Muffins 10-oz. Tube **39¢**

**HALF GALLON
EGG NOG**

Carton



HOLIDAY CHECKLIST

... OF Mini-Mizer Values!

Applesauce 79¢
Purina 15.49
Country Club Potato Chips 2-lb. \$1.09
Gelatin 6-lb. \$1.09
Marshmallows 3-lb. \$1.09
Dutch Cocoa 12-oz. \$1.09
Granola 16-oz. \$1.09
Seven Seas 12-oz. \$1.09
Tomato Juice 12-oz. \$1.09
Log Cabin 12-oz. \$1.09
Smuckers Jam 12-oz. \$1.09

**Duraflame II
LOGS** 99¢
Sweet Pickles 12-oz. \$1.09
Purina Chow 12-oz. \$1.09
Napkins 12-oz. \$1.09
Holiday Squares 12-oz. \$1.09
Waffles 12-oz. \$1.09
Tropicana 12-oz. \$1.09

FROZEN FAVORITES
**PUMPKIN
PIE** 99¢
Pie Shells 12-oz. \$1.09
Topping 12-oz. \$1.09
Bread Dough 12-oz. \$1.09
French Fries 12-oz. \$1.09

BAKERY TREATS!
**WHITE
BREAD** 3-lb. \$1.09
Almond Ring 11-oz. \$1.09
Cake Donuts 2-lb. \$1.09
Country Rolls 2-lb. \$1.09
Angel Food 12-oz. \$1.09

Holiday Values!
**Cranberry
SAUCE** 2-lb. \$1.09
Cut Yams 40-oz. \$1.09
Pineapple 20-oz. \$1.09
Pumpkin 20-oz. \$1.09
Oranges 11-oz. \$1.09

Stockin' Stuffers!
**PRESTO
BURGER** 15.99
Digital Watch 19.99
Mr. Coffee II 23.99
Punch Bowl Set 39.99
Panty Hose 79.99

Health & Beauty Aids
**HEAD &
Shoulders** 1.25
Afta Toothpaste 40-oz. 69¢
Effordent 40-oz. \$1.09
Listerine 32-oz. \$1.09
Pamper's 24-oz. \$2.99



**Stove Top
STUFFING**

17-oz. \$1.09

FREE SMILE. . .
OR
FREE BREAD!



For Healthful Snacks,
Holiday Desserts or
Refreshing Fruit
Salads!

California's Finest—Naturally Delicious, Sugar Sweet Red.

EMPEROR GRAPES

20¢ OFF
With Coupon and Purchase of
One 12-oz. Jar Vita Cream or
LUNCH HERRING
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 372

20¢ OFF
With Coupon and Purchase of
Any Two 8-oz. Pkg. Kroger
SLICED LUNCHEAT
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 373

KROGER MAYONNAISE
Giant Jar
99¢
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 307

NU MAID MARGARINE
1-lb. Bowl
65¢
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 308

20¢ OFF
With Coupon and Purchase of
Any 1/2-gal. Ctn. of 2% or 6%
KROGER EGG NOG
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 309

TOWN HOUSE CRACKERS
12-oz. Box
77¢
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 310

25¢ OFF
With Coupon and Purchase of
Any Random Weight Pkg. Kroger
NATURAL CHEESE
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 311

20¢ OFF
With Coupon and Purchase of
Any 2 Pkg. or More of Gold Crest
BAKING OR SNACK NUTS
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 312

SKIPPY PEANUT BUTTER
18-oz. Jar
99¢
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 313

PRESTO BURGER
Double
15.99
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 314

25¢ OFF
With Coupon and Purchase of
2.50 or More of Gold Crest
CHRISTMAS CANDY
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 315

30¢ OFF
With Coupon and Purchase of
One Half Gallon Ctn. Kroger Deluxe
PEPPERMINT STICK ICE CREAM
One coupon per customer. Valid Dec. 19 thru
Dec. 24, 1977. Subject to applicable tax. 316

1-lb. Package

Jumbo Fruit

For

- Delicious Apples
Sunlist (72 Size)
- Navel Oranges
Washington (80-Size)
- D'Anjou Pears

5 For \$1

PASCAL CELERY
Fresh Crisp California

Stalk

Bunches

IDAHO POTATOES
10 Lb. Bag **\$1.38**
Each

White Mum & Poinsettia 7 1/2-in. Pot **\$6.99**
Assorted Colors

Florist Mums 6-in. Pot **\$3.99**
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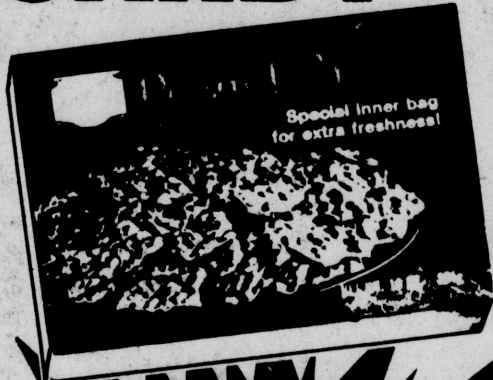


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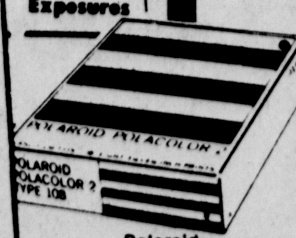
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